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The BIBLE CLASS is held in the Hall every Sunday at 3 P.M. All women are welcome.

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Second Tuesday	West Side Settlement, 10.30 A.M.
Second Wednesday	Education and Entertainments, 11 A.M.
Third Wednesday	Margaret Louisa Home, 10.30 A.M.
Last Wednesday	Needle-work, 10.30 A.M.
Every Thursday	Executive, 10.30 A.M.
First Thursday after the First Monday	Membership, 10 A.M.
At the call of the Chairman	Auditing, Finance, House, Relief, and all Special Committees.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

1.—**Subscriptions and Donations** should be sent to the **Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. F. Butterworth, 104 E. 30th Street,** and should always be accompanied, not by the signatures only, but also by the proper names and addresses for the mailing of receipts.

Dues of Active and Sustaining Members are payable each year during January and February. It would be regarded as a special favor if Members would pay (without solicitation) their yearly dues to the Association during these months. After the first of March notice will be sent to all those who have not found it convenient to pay before.

Any person failing to receive an acknowledgment of money given to the Association will please notify the Assistant Treasurer.

2.—The full **Names** and correct addresses of those proposed for Active Membership should be sent to the Chairman of the Membership Committee, **Mrs. W. R. H. Martin,** 7 East 15th Street.

3.—**Resignations,** or any changes of address, also notices of death, or of any errors in the lists, should be sent to the Chairman of the Membership Committee.

4.—**The Building** is open on week days from 9 A.M. to 9.30 P.M.; Sundays from 2 to 9 P.M. It will be shown to Visitors on any week day by an Active Member, or by the Janitor.

5.—The Association's attractive **Hall,** at 7 East 15th Street, may be rented for entertainments. Seating capacity, 600. For particulars address the Corresponding Secretary, or inquire of the Janitor at the Building.

Report of the Corresponding Secretary Presented to the Association February 4, 1901

The passing of a century is a great event. It fills the thought of the people. It touches every enterprise, small or large. It impels the backward glance that discerns the gradual unfolding of a beneficent plan by slow and struggling steps, and it inspires the forward look—the prophetic gaze that, because of the past, views the coming years with undaunted faith and courage.

With the closing of the century the Association rounds out its thirty years of life, and as it presents its thirtieth annual report, it remembers "all the way the Lord hath led" it, and "rejoiceth as a strong man to run a race." It recalls the trials and the triumphs of the passing years, follows anew the onward and upward steps of its history, sees the hand of God in all, and sets forth, with humble gratitude, the latest chapter, the record of the year 1900.

The Preacher said long ago, "There is no new thing under the sun," words of inspiration that apply with truth to a yearly report, and yet as the store-house of memory yields up its treasure of facts and incidents, the "same old story" seems to take on a new and living aspect. It cannot be brief. It rivals the discourse of the old-time divine with his firstly, fifthly, and on, for the Association has under its care ten departments, each of which requires some mention, and all deserve more than time or space will allow.

Every department exists for but one object: "to promote the temporal, social, mental, moral, and religious welfare of young women."

In the Chaplain's Department the moral and religious are especially emphasized, though all are made use of in the effort to provide for the spiritual interests of those who come under its care. In all its work the endeavor is to get hold of the young woman herself, to woo and to win her to the good, the true, and the beautiful, before her sense is dulled to these uplifting influences.

Chaplain's Department.

Whether, therefore, it has been the Bible Class service on Sunday afternoons, where Mrs. Knowles has again taught the lessons so earnestly and effectually, or the Tuesday evening devotional meetings, in the impressive series of lessons given by Miss Thompson, Miss Holmes, and Miss van Marter; whether the Summer School, with its carefully planned programme of instruction and recreation; whether the temporal relief of the sick and needy, the aid of the traveling stranger, or whatever may have been the means employed, the aim has been one and the same—the welfare of young women in its highest and best sense.

The results of such work as this cannot be estimated. Figures may be given in abundance, to the effect that there are 1,337 enrolled members of the Bible Class, with an attendance of 525 at its sessions, that there were 695 pupils in the summer classes, 10,665 visits to the parlor in the summer months, and that 1,432 young girls were brought in who had never before visited the Association. But what can figures tell of the hearts and lives made bright and good by these helpful agencies? A recent report well says: "No expert has yet found a way to tabulate results indicated by gladdened hearts, purified characters, higher ideals, and warm friendships."

All the stated meetings of the Bible Class have been regularly held and well attended, and deep significance has been given, as usual, to the various festivals of the year through the special services arranged for their observance—services that

long linger in the memory as feasts of good things. Easter Sunday is always the day of days. Here were drawn together again the oldest and newest members of the class, and upon each one of the vast throng was bestowed the customary gift-book of remembrance and good cheer from a generous friend of the Association.

The Chaplain was also enabled to provide an unusual treat for the class at the time of the Ecumenical Missionary Conference in this city. On Sunday, April 22d, twelve missionary delegates were present at the afternoon service. Miss Griffiths, from Japan, and Miss Thoburn and Miss Lilivati Singh, from India, of the Methodist Board; Miss Bristow, of the Church of England Zenana Mission, and Mrs. Baird, from Korea, of the Presbyterian Board, spoke of their experiences in their various fields of labor, and awakened so great an interest that the session was prolonged from three until five o'clock, and then reluctantly closed. On the following Sunday, a second meeting was held. The hall was crowded, there was much interest and enthusiasm, and the session lasted until six o'clock. The speakers were Miss Brown, from Burmah, and Miss Clagett, from Japan, members of the Baptist Board; Mrs. B. H. Badley, Miss Grace Stephens, and Sooboonagam Ammal, of India, representing the Methodist Board; Dr. Ferne, Medical Missionary, from China, and Mrs. Alice Gordon Gulick, of the Educational Work in Spain, both of the American Board. Sooboonagam, who is a high-caste Hindu and Brahmin priestess, converted in 1894, sang touchingly, in English, her self-chosen hymn of baptism, "Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken."

In this way an effort was made to bring the women of the class and others under the inspiration and instruction of this time of special privilege, and it was not in vain, for to many these were the banner meetings of the conference, and to all it was a choice and blessed opportunity.

Another series of meetings was provided for the class and the whole Association, during Holy-week, when daily services of great spiritual power were held at noon under the leadership of Mr. Robert E. Speer, Dr. Parkhurst, Dr. Andrew Long-

acre, Dr. Donald Sage Mackay, and Dr. Thomas C. Hall in the order named. Again, in October, the Chaplain was so fortunate as to secure Mrs. Penn Lewis, of England, during a brief visit to the city, for an address on the Deepening of the Spiritual Life—a thoughtful, earnest talk of rare force and ability.

Thus, throughout the year, the religious work of the Association has been zealously fostered. Every possible opportunity for the promotion of the spiritual welfare of those committed to its guardianship has been sought and secured. The result may never be known, but the promise of reward is not to those who shall reap great harvests—to those rather who have sowed the seed, who have been faithful in the doing.

Though all Association work is in a sense religious, and all of it has in view the same great object, some of the departments, like the service of the priests appointed for the care of the tabernacle in the olden time, deal with affairs that seem far removed from strictly spiritualizing influences. The foundation-stones of a great structure are rugged and unsightly, buried in hidden depths, but without them where would be the building?

Membership Committee.

The Membership Committee is one of these. It digs and delves among the lists the year through, arranging and rearranging, recording new members, and tracing, as it may, the changes, in name, of the married, and in address, of the moved; handicapped always by the lack of information on these points through the oversight of those who know and fail to report. Its work is clerical and statistical, but from it comes the material on which the building rests. The Committee does not grow weary in well-doing, but clamors for more and more work in its desire for additions to the lists. It begs that " a dart may be thrown into the consciences of members to make them bring in others "—youthful members who will in time take the places of those who have been long in the harness.

An important change has been inaugurated by a constitutional amendment recently adopted. In order that this As-

sociation may work in harmony with those allied with it in the International Board, it has adopted, in common with them, the name of Associate Members for the self-supporting women who have hitherto been known as Annual Members. The former Associate Members, those "who feel an interest in the objects of the Association, but are unable to engage in its active work," will hereafter bear the name of Sustaining Members. It is hoped that this change will commend itself as a step well taken, when it is considered that this Association is thus brought into line with all that compose the International Board, and that the descriptive terms employed in one will now have the same significance in all.

Looking upon the religious work of the Association as the bed-rock on which the building is reared, upon the membership as its foundation-stones, the next in order is its work for the mind, which may be considered as the preparation of the course of carved and polished stone that comes first into view as the structure rises, story after story, to the capstone of finish and completeness.

Committee on Education and Entertainments.

Perhaps no department is more widely known or highly prized than the Class Department. Indeed, many a girl's only conception of the use of the Association is that she can here obtain the knowledge and the training that will fit her to earn her own living. It has been the aim of the department to fulfill this expectation, to promote her social and mental welfare, and thereby to lead her to a knowledge of her spiritual needs and to aspirations for their supply. The practical results of the instruction in all classes have been very clearly shown. Many of the pupils are filling good positions. Several of the art students displayed work at the exhibit of the Architectural League last winter, and some of their drawings were hung on the line. A scholarship was awarded, on the merits of her work, in competition, to one student, by the Art Students' League, and honorable mention to another. Indeed, every class reports that its graduates are doing well. These are the graduates who in May received their diplomas in token of

the satisfactory work they had done during the winter, who went forth, equipped by the Association for the life-work they had planned to do, and who are now filling the positions for which they were trained.

The commencement was, as usual, the event of the year in this department. The address of the occasion was made by Dr. James H. Canfield, of Columbia University, whose words upon the marvelous developments of the age and its corresponding responsibilities were keenly appreciated by the large audience. The devotional exercises were conducted by the Rev. Dr. William H. Grosvenor; and the first Vice-President, in the absence of Mrs. Beebe, conferred diplomas upon the 371 girls who merited them, and whose faces betokened the consciousness of work well done in the past and of a good preparation for the work to be done in the future. That the department is gaining in public confidence and esteem is evidenced by the demand of employers for these graduates.

Last spring the Committee was enabled, through the abundant generosity of a friend of the Association, to spread abroad a wider knowledge of its advantages by means of advertising placards in the surface-cars and elevated stations. Owing, in part, to this and in part to the increasing demand on all sides for skilled labor, the present class year opened most auspiciously this fall. The classes are full to overflowing, great interest and earnestness are shown in all directions, and the department declares itself in a sound condition.

Library.

Side by side with the Class Department, and keeping pace with its efforts to promote the mental welfare and the consequent whole-sided well-being of the young woman is the Library. Here are to be found also the signs of a growth of esteem and popularity on the one side, and an endeavor to meet this rising tide upon the other. Consequently the Library has steadily increased in usefulness and attractiveness through the year, and has ministered to 5,652 regular readers. Its departments of music have been specially extended. A catalogue of all music and all books pertaining thereto has been carefully prepared and published,

and may be obtained for five cents. This, together with additions of desirable works, have increased the music circulation 906 volumes. A list of books on education has also been issued, which is much appreciated by teachers. The Reference-room has received important additions in fine-art books, the bulletin-board has kept up its illustrated running commentary on prominent events and people, and over 8,200 books have been covered and titled—the last, one of the items of unnoted labor that goes to make the Library seem so perfect and effective. It is a joy to record that there has never been more satisfaction expressed by the readers than this year. From authors, teachers, and other professional women, down to the less cultivated artists' models, factory "operators," and even "stage children," all enjoy the home-like atmosphere of the Library—excepting perhaps the over-crowded reading-room, which at times surely fails to furnish the orthodox number of cubic feet per individual.

The departments following next in order make up a group that seems to lay emphasis upon the word temporal in the paragraph defining the object of Association work. They do seek to promote the temporal welfare of young women, but with all the rest, it is the means to the one great end.

Employment Committee.

Foremost among them comes the Employment Committee, that of which so much is expected and which bears such heavy responsibilities. To find occupation for those who must have work or starve, positions for those who perhaps are suddenly bereft of a capable provider, places for the inexperienced and untried, to solve the endless problems of need and supply, are trying tasks. To these the Committee bends its energies with perennial zeal and with gratifying success. Not all its applicants are placed, not all are satisfied, there must be disappointments and even failures often. But the Committee reports that 2,400 positions have been filled, that it has had a better class of employees to deal with, and that in all the year the usual slack season failed to come.

In the purpose to make use of the best methods of work,

the department has entered upon a new venture in adopting the card-catalogue system, by which the registering of names is greatly simplified. It has also been called upon to suffer change through the resignation of a devoted clerk, Miss Ashley, after a service of twenty years. The Association was only ten years of age when Miss Ashley entered upon her duties in the Employment Bureau, and it is largely owing to her faithful discharge of those duties and to her wise handling of the weighty matters of the office that so much of success rests upon its work, and that it has come into so large a place in estimation and usefulness.

Needle-work Committee.

Another member of the group seeking to ameliorate the condition of women by attending first to their temporal needs is the Needle-work Committee. Its duty is to provide work for those who want it and can do it, and a place for the disposal of that work. On one side it hears the cry, "Help us to get bread, sell our goods;" on the other, "Teach your consignors to make things we want and at prices to suit." Midway between stands the Committee seeking ever the way to answer these cries. Its rooms and cases are filled with articles beautiful and useful; its order department is busy supplying the demand for fine underwear, infants' outfits, and the like; its fitting and workrooms are carrying on extensive operations in children's dressmaking, and its poorest and neediest, the women with too little intelligence, ingenuity, or experience, to do elaborate, or even plain, fine work are being helped by the "Tide-over" fund. Goods are sold and customers do find what they want. And the work grows. There are ever new and larger demands upon the resources of the Committee, a constant call for increasing activity.

The summer sales that have become a feature of the work were held as usual, because there were again three hospitable friends who generously offered their houses and services for the purpose. $737.75 were thus secured for consignors in what would otherwise have been their profitless season. The Christmas sale began on December 5th, with an unusual dis-

play of desirable articles, and with the added attractions of an "all-day" opening and of a "Tea" and charming "Musicale" in the afternoon, a large attendance was secured and the resulting success assured—the largest sale on record. The monetary benefits accruing from these and all sales in the department are for consignors alone, the Association's share in the transaction being a small commission on articles sold and the satisfaction of having aided women in the disposal of their work.

Board Directory.

In this group belongs, also, the Board Directory. Its work may not seem attractive to those not specially interested, but there is none more important in all the Association. It is beset with difficulties, too, and calls for skill in meeting the demands made upon it, especially in the placing of women whose weekly wage is so small that a home must be secured on the lowest possible terms—so low as to seem impossible. One of the deepest needs of the city to-day is a number of such homes, safe and respectable, where board may be obtained at the moderate rates required by these multitudes of hard-working women and girls, who earn so little. Even to the point, almost, of supplying what is lacking, the Directory strives to provide for all who come, all classes and conditions, and though every year seems to fill to overflowing the measure of contrivance and ability, every year makes new demands upon its capacity in a constant increase of numbers and requirements.

There is one phase of activity in this department that must appeal to all; for lives there one who has not a soul for Fresh Air work? This is carried on under the charge of the Committee during the summer months, at Asbury Park. There a home is provided, comfortable, attractive, and low-priced, and there many a woman in the past season sought rest and regained strength for the life of toil awaiting her and from which she had come apart a while. Two hundred and twenty-six women were guests at the home during the summer, participants in its comforts and pleasures, and appreciative recipients of its privileges and benefits.

Continuing the list of those departments which serve the interests of the Association by their care of its temporal concerns, the House Committee here finds a place. Its duties may be humble and obscure, but they are vital. It is charged with the care of the Association building, and because of its care, as evidenced by the smooth running of all its affairs, the Association has a place of abode and a shelter for its activities.

House Committee.

In this list may also be placed the Auditing Committee, whose work, though steady and unceasing, is so quiet and unobtrusive that it stands in danger of being overlooked altogether. This Committee is responsible not only for the accounts of the Association Treasurer, with all the endless detail of receipts and expenditures involved, but must also provide for the auditing of the accounts of each department, taking note of all appropriations made by the Executive Committee, approving all just bills, and endorsing them for payment. All this requires untiring diligence on the part of the members of the committee. It is a work, too, demanding peculiar fitness, a financial ability that is supposed to be rare in women, and yet it is a work carried on continuously and successfully by women, year after year, and is no small part of Association labor freely and faithfully performed.

Auditing Committee.

There are now two remaining departments, the Margaret Louisa Home and West Side Settlement, which, though dependent upon the organization, as a whole, are in a measure independent and complete in themselves. They embody within the sphere of their influence and usefulness the promotion of the welfare of women in all the relations of temporal, social, mental, moral, and religious.

The first of these, the Margaret Louisa Home, is one of the more youthful members of the Association household, having just celebrated its tenth anniversary. For one so young it is precocious in its attainments. Its establishment ten years ago was a response to a desperate need—some place for the shelter of those self-

Margaret Louisa Home.

Needle-work Salesroom.

Employment Bureau.

supporting women whose stay was to be short, and for whom hotel prices were all too high. Boarding-house keepers were not to be found who were willing to encumber themselves with transients, if more permanent boarders could be secured, and the Association was long harassed with the perplexities of the question until the plan of the Margaret Louisa Home was conceived and carried into effect.

From the start its need was seen. In its first year there were over 2,000 admissions, 25,000 lodgings, and 171,000 meals. These have grown steadily in number until during the last year it would seem that the limit of capacity must have been reached in the 7,000 admissions, 40,000 lodgings, and 335,000 meals recorded. Indeed, 1900 has been the fullest year ever experienced, and no year has given more satisfactory proof of the real blessing the Home is in many lives.

An important fact in the year's work is the considerable reduction in the item of food expense for the restaurant, which has been accomplished in spite of much fluctuation in prices of food-products, which have often been very high. This reduction is the result of patient and persistent effort, and its fruit is seen in the fact that for ten months of 1900 the restaurant has covered all its running expenses.

The endeavor has been through all the years, even in the experimental stage, to make the Home one in fact as well as in name, and many guests have given expression to their appreciation of its home-like atmosphere. Many things have contributed to this result. None more surely than the daily family prayers held in the parlor, and also the family spirit maintained in the observance of the yearly holidays. Among these Thanksgiving and Christmas have always had special prominence, and this year the tenth Christmas was made an unusually bright and joyous occasion. By public announcements in the parlors and rooms, accompanied with cordial invitations, the attractions of the Association Bible Class services are also made known to the guests, and many avail themselves of the privileges accorded. Thus along all lines the Margaret Louisa Home has joined with every other depart-

ment to accomplish the object and aim of Association work in furthering the welfare of women.

Finally, the West Side Settlement combines so much and stands for such tremendous possibilities that the space accorded it in the last place on the list is far too small. It is, to begin with, a permanent home for working-women, the kind of home needed by the Board Directory at the low rates, and also the kind that is entitled to spell its name with a small "h," according to the judgment of one who came, through experience, to have some actual knowledge of it. The boarders are under the care of a loving House-mother, who guards and guides the little family, assembling them each day for the word of prayer that prepares them to meet the day's duties with a brave heart, and giving sympathy and counsel as the need appears. Both in the morning and evening the brief household prayer service is held, and on Sunday mornings before church all are gathered together for a longer season of prayer and song. The home has proved a blessing to many, limited though it has necessarily been in accommodations, through lack of space.

West Side Settlement.

Then, on the lower floor of the house, a work of bustling activity is carried on that is extraordinary in its extent and growth, in view of the limitation under which it labors. There are classes of every kind and description, millinery, shirt-waist, dress-making, gymnastic, sewing, kitchengarden, etc.—sixteen a week. There is a library full to overflowing of readers and books, the former greatly predominating—eight little girls may frequently be seen hovering over the one dictionary. There is a bank which has had since it opened, two years ago, 3,406 depositors, and in which the girls and mothers save for every known need. A slight relief to the overcrowded condition of the house was obtained by hiring a small flat opposite where there were rooms for the use of the classes and clubs, and also a warm, light room that was needed to keep the girls off the street. During the summer a vigorous Fresh Air work was carried on, by which 1,898 people were sent on day excursions and 255 to board for one or two weeks. Twice as

many, able to pay something for their board, might have been sent, and the list extended into the thousands, had there been places to send them.

With all this that the Settlement is trying to do, what might not be done toward the solving of some of the neighborhood questions, if only there were the ability which means the interest and the money. What should be its attitude in regard to some of the civic questions—the increasing vice of the streets, for instance? It ought to be a power in regard to them, and it might be if the way before it could be made plain. Up to this time its way has been cruelly hedged about by inadequate room, lack of workers, of interest, of means, lack of all that is necessary for its development as a mighty force for good in that section of the city. It has done what it could, and it has done well. But now new hope has arisen, a brighter day is dawning. The Settlement is to have a new home. A house has been secured in the near neighborhood, large, convenient, in good condition, adapted in every way for the enlargement of the work. Possession will here be taken as soon as the arrangements are completed, and the Settlement enters the new year with great expectations, confident that its friends will rally to its cause, bringing with them abundant gifts of love, and service, and money.

And thus the old, old, story, ever new, is written once again. Has it seemed a long or, perhaps, a boastful one? If great things have been accomplished, the praise is not to the Association. To its steadfast friends who have bestowed upon it their interest, their prayers, and their gifts, to those who have stood as a bulwark of defense in all its times of peril, to the members of its Advisory Board, its ready helpers in seasons of perplexity, to its honored counselor, Mr. Brainerd, wise and skillful and patient in administering the vexed questions of the law, and above and beyond all, to Him who sees the end from the beginning and from whom comes every perfect gift, does the praise belong. "Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord."

The story of 1900 fills out the measure of the thirty years of

Association life. The century was growing old before the Association was even thought of, and if the work has grown from the weakness of its beginning into such fullness of strength in spite of the failures of purpose, the waverings of faith, the errors of human judgment—if this is the record after thirty years, what possibilities may await it, under the blessing of God, in the time to come, with more earnest purpose, more abiding faith, and more devoted service? Since

> "No life can be pure in its purpose and strong in its strife,
> And all life not be purer and stronger thereby,"

let the purpose be pure and the strife be strong for the Association's work and needs, and then will its mission be accomplished and all the life it touches be purer and stronger.

JULIA FRANCES BANGS,
Corresponding Secretary.

In Memoriam.

ENTERED into Life Eternal
in the Year of our Lord

1900,

Mrs. J. T. Atterbury,
Mrs. M. de Koven Casey,
Mrs. R. A. Congdon,
Mrs. Thomas H. Maghee,
Mrs. Charles E. Merrill,
Mrs. John L. Tonnele,

Sustaining Members,
of the
Young Women's Christian Association
of the City of New York.

"We give Thee hearty thanks for the good examples of all these Thy servants, who, having finished their course in faith, do now rest from their labours."

THE INTERNATIONAL BOARD

OF

WOMEN'S AND YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

THIS Board is composed of Women's and Young Women's Christian Associations, and other organizations doing a similar work in our own land and Canada. The Board exercises no authority as to methods of work adopted by local Associations. Help and strength, however, follow community of interest; benefit and inspiration result from interchange of experience; and opportunity for these is given at the Biennial Conferences.

The last Conference was held in Memphis, November 16 to 22, 1899. Delegates were present from a majority of the Associations connected with the International Board, and eight new Associations were received into fellowship. Many visitors from Southern cities attended the meetings. Several Associations have reported increased interest and rapid growth since the return of their delegates from this Conference.

Mrs. John Duncan, the organizer appointed at this time, has been working to establish new Associations in the South and Southwest. Full reports will be given at the next Conference, which will be held in the autumn of 1901 in the city of Cleveland, Ohio, and will undoubtedly be large and interesting. The Cleveland Young Women's Christian Association will do its part nobly and expects a large attendance. All who attend will receive an impetus for Christian work and instruction in Association methods.

Let prayers ascend for a spiritual blessing on the Conference of 1901.

The Young Women's Christian Association of the city of New York is allied to the International Board, and its members should realize the duties and privileges of that alliance. It is hoped that many of the members will be present at the Cleveland Conference.

Members and friends of the Association are urged to subscribe for the *International Messenger*, the monthly publication of the Board. The price is fifty cents a year; and the paper needs and desires the hearty support of all who are interested in Christian Association work, and in the circulation of reliable information concerning it.

MARY A. DORMAN,
1st Vice-President of the International Board.

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Waterville, Me.,
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Worcester.

* Deceased.

STATISTICS FOR 1900

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

MEETINGS OF THE BIBLE CLASS.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Bible Lesson by Mrs. J. H. Knowles.

Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, Special Courses of Bible Lessons by..... { Miss M. E. Holmes, Miss J. De G. Thompson, Miss M. Van Marter.

Miss L. B. Du Bois, Miss Louise Taylor, } *Clerks.*

Enrolled Members in Class	1,337
Visitors	6,433
Usual Attendance	525
Attendance at Weekly Devotional Meetings	100
Religious Denominations represented in Bible Class	13

Occupations represented: Artists, Book-folders, Book-keepers, Box-makers, Candy-makers, Cap-makers, Care-takers, Carpet-sewers, Carpet-weavers, Cashiers, Chair-seaters, Chocolate-makers, Cigar-makers, Clerks, Cloak-makers, Companions, Compositors, Copyists, Domestics, Dress-makers, Embroiderers, Engravers (wood and metal), Feather-makers, Flower-makers, Fur-sewers, Gold-cutters, Gold-polishers, Governesses, Hair-dressers, Household-servants, House-keepers, Janitresses, Ladies' Maids, Masseuses, Medical Nurses, Milliners, Missionaries, Musicians, Nurses, Passementerie-makers, Photo-Colorists, Proof-readers, Sales-women, Scarf-makers, Seamstresses, Silk-weavers, Spectacle-case Makers, Stenographers, Straw-workers, Students, Tailoresses, Teachers, Telegraph and Telephone Operators, Type-setters, Type-writers, Umbrella-makers, Upholsterers.

THE FRESH AIR AND TRAVELERS' AID WORK.

Five hundred and fifteen women and girls were benefited by the Fresh Air Fund. The greater number of these were given Day Outings, and the others were sent to Grace Hall, Asbury Park, to Thecla Annex, Nyack, to Harper Cottage, Long Branch, and to The Presbyterian Rest at White Plains.

Two hundred and thirty-eight Travelers' Aid cases were provided for during the year.

Monday evenings, Entertainments, largest attendance	750
Tuesday evenings, Bible Study, largest attendance	163
Wednesday evenings, Physical Culture, Musical Drill, and Parlor Games, largest attendance	36
Wednesday evenings, Kindergarten Games, largest attendance	38
Thursday evenings, Millinery Circles, largest attendance	70
Thursday evenings, Embroidery and Fancy-Work Circle, largest attendance	54
Friday evenings, Singing Circle (informal concerts, readings, talks, etc.), largest attendance	50
Whole number of Pupils in Vacation Circles	695
Number of Teachers employed in Vacation Circles	7
Number of Volunteer Teachers	7
Number of Artists and Professional Entertainers	23
Number of Volunteer Entertainers	50
Number of visits to the Association Parlor from June 1st to Oct. 1st	10,665
Number of visits to the Parlor in 1900	26,288
Greatest number present any one evening	700
Strangers welcomed during the summer (i. e. Girls who had never before visited the Association)	1,432

THE SOCIETY OF UNITED WORKERS, an organization composed of members of the Bible Class, has distributed the following cards and other printed matter relating to its work:

Special Course of Bible Lectures	3,000
Bible Class Membership Cards	5,000
Programmes of the Easter Service	1,500
Large cards and posters advertising Vacation Circles, Concerts, Readings, etc.	56
Invitations to Social Work	1,500
Vacation Circle Schedules	7,000

The Voluntary Sunday Offerings of the Bible Class have amounted to the sum of $82.30, $5.00 of which was given to the Colored Industrial School, Snow Hill, Alabama, and $77.30 to the Society of United Workers.

E. DOHENY, *Chaplain.*

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE.

Active Members elected	16
Sustaining Members elected	24
Associate Members received	616
Life Member received	1
Present number of Active Members	198
Present number of Sustaining Members	327
Present number of Associate Members	913
Present number of Life Members	99
Present number of Honorary Members	138

E. B. T. MARTIN, *Chairman.*

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND ENTERTAINMENTS.

NUMBER OF PUPILS ATTENDING THE CLASSES.

Sessions held every week-day and evening except Saturday.

Book-keeping	54
Business Training	45
Choir Music	43
Commercial Arithmetic	38
Cooking	205
Cooking for Invalids	44
Drawing (Mechanical and Freehand), Photo-color, and Retouching Photo-negatives	17
Water-color	16
Modeling, Instrumental Drawing, Color and Special Branches	19
Modeling (Evening class)	20
General Literature	50
Elementary Dress-making, Repairing, and Altering	23
Embroidery	25
Dress-making (Royal System)	345
Machine and Hand Sewing	379
Millinery	255
Feather-curling	41
Penmanship (Vertical and Spencerian)	40
Physical Culture	106
Stenography	84
Dictation for Stenographers	58
Type-writing	137
Training of Attendants for the Sick	55
Whole number of Pupils under Instruction from October 1, 1899, to May 31, 1900, class term of eight months	2,099
Number of Pupils under instruction during 1900	2,981

Application for admission to any of the above classes must be made in person at the Association Building, 7 East 15th Street.

The Clerk is in attendance to receive applicants every day from 9 to 5 o'clock (Saturday afternoons excepted) and every evening (except Saturday) from 7 to 9 o'clock.

TEACHERS EMPLOYED.

Miss M. Averell	Feather-curling.
Miss A. E. Beiderhase	Stenography.
Miss Isobel Bole	Cooking.
Miss M. S. Campbell	Dressmaking.
Miss Mabel H. Chase	Physical Culture.
Miss S. L. Conklin	Stenography.
Miss Helen A. Daley	Drawing and Photographic Work.
Mrs. Eleanor Dunn	Book-keeping, Commercial Arithmetic, and Penmanship.

Miss M. T. Fordham .....Typewriting.
Miss Helen E. Gavit (Volunteer Teacher).....General Literature
Miss A. Henderson .....Attendance on the Sick.
Miss H. B. Judd .....Choir Music.
Miss B. A. Losey .....Millinery.
Miss M. E. MacDonald .....Business Training.
Miss M. A. Martin....Elementary Dress-making, Repairing, and Altering.
Miss Caroline L. Peniston .....Embroidery.
Miss Marion E. Rhoads.....Cooking.
Miss C. J. Sorensen .....Dress-making.
Miss Mabel Stone .....Cooking.
Miss S. A. Walker.....Modeling, Design, and Wood-carving.
Mrs. M. B. Welles.....Machine and Hand Sewing.

Miss H. B. Judd.....Organist.
Miss E. Howard.....Pianist of Physical Culture Classes.

LIST OF ENTERTAINMENTS.

January 29th, Recital by Mrs. Waldo Richards; gift of Miss A. B. Jennings.
February 26th, Illustrated Lecture.
March 26th, Monologues, Songs, Ventriloquism.
April 30th, Recitals, Songs, etc.
November 26th, Edison Moving Pictures, Illustrated Songs.
December 31st, for the Bible Class, Dialect Stories, Songs, Orchestra.

Number of Concerts, Readings, and Lectures given.....	6
Average Attendance	550

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Balance, January 1, 1900.....	$422.87
Received by Committee Treasury from Donations, Forfeited and Unclaimed Class Deposits, and Interest on Merriam Fund..	1,017.32
	$1,440.19
Expended for Christmas Greens, Dues to N. Y. Association of Sewing-schools, Entertainments, Lectures, Expenses of Commencement, Sewing Machine, and Summer School....	930.04
Balance to new account.....	510.15
	$1,440.19

Examined and found correct, January 30, 1901.
AUGUSTA D. HOPKINS,
ELIZA V. P. MOORE.

G. B. BALLARD, *Chairman.*

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

Whole number of books now in Library	28,920
Books added during the year: by purchase, 1,835; by gift, 643	2,478
Books removed (transferred to other departments of the Association, given away, worn out, etc.)	661
Actual increase in number of books	1,817
Books in Circulating Library (English, Foreign, and Music)	27,184
Books in Reference Library	1,736
Readers regularly using Library in 1900	5,652
New Readers registered in 1900	1,744
Study-cards issued in 1900	832
Study-cards now in use	2,485
Total circulation of books during 1900	92,801
Average daily circulation	302
Total attendance in Reference-room	6,182
Average daily attendance in Reference-room	20
Current magazines for circulation	15
Circulation of current magazines (included in total circulation)	2,003
Books of Music for Circulation	617
Circulation of Music-books (included in total circulation)	2,790
Art-studies for circulation	654
Circulation of Art-studies	1,100
Cheer-pictures for circulation	57
Art and Music cards now in use	871
Current periodicals in Reading-room	130
Total attendance in Reading-room	31,251
Average daily attendance in Reading-room	102
Average daily attendance in Library (including all departments)	424
Books covered and titled by Library Committee	3,664

The Free Circulating Library, Reading, and Reference rooms are open daily (Sunday excepted) from 9 A.M. to 9.15 P.M.

The Circulating Library, including art, foreign and music departments, is free to any woman, or girl over twelve years of age, living in New York City or vicinity, who is either self-supporting or preparing for self-support, and who will give satisfactory reference and pledge herself to keep the prescribed rules.

The Reading and Reference rooms are free to all women.

Dr. FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

To Balance from 1899 account	$189 64
" Portion of City allowance, received from Treasurer of Association for Book Fund	1,866 71
" State Aid, through University of the State of New York	200 00
" Gifts (itemized in Gift List)	325 00
" Amount received from readers to replace lost books	19 76
" Amount received from sale of Music and Educational lists	5 00
	$2,606 11

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By amounts paid—

For books	$2,122 93
" Check book	1 00
" Magazines for circulation	39 75
" Balance due on Magazines for Reading-room	59 54
" Printing list of educational books (1,000 copies)	55 00
" Printing list of music books (1,000 copies)	68 80
" Readers' cards (4,000) and printed postal notices (5,000)	89 75
" Type-writing	3 58
	$2,440 35
Balance to new account	165 76
	$2,606 11

Examined and found correct January 31, 1901.

LOUISE DISOSWAY ADAMS.
VINNIE R. GRAVES.

MARY McLANATHAN WATSON, *Chairman.*

EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE.

Applicants registered	3,149
Employers registered	3,149
Positions filled	2,400

In the Employment Bureau, Employers are charged a fee of $1.00 for the use of the Bureau for three months, or 50 cents for one application. Annual Members have the free use of the Bureau, but other applicants are charged 50 cents for six months' registration. The Bureau is open to any young woman, resident in New York City, or its immediate vicinity, who can furnish good references for character and ability. House Servants are excluded from its register, but Artists, Carpet-sewers, Chaperons, Clerks, Companions, Copyists, Decorators, Designers for carpets, wall-papers, tiles. metal-work, etc., Dress-makers, Hair-dressers, House-keepers, Invalids' Attendants, Kindergartners, Ladies' Maids, Manicures, Masseuses, Matrons, Milliners, Nursery Governesses, Pedicures, Proof-readers, Retouchers of Photo-negatives, Saleswomen, Seamstresses, Shampooers, Shoppers, Stenographers, Teachers of Languages, Music, and the Industrial Arts, Trained Nurses, Type-writers, and Upholsterers may be obtained there.

The clerk is in attendance to receive Employers from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. Members of the Committee receive applicants from 10 A.M. to 3 P.M. References are carefully investigated and kept on file.

Dr. FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

To Balance from 1899 account	$51 05
" Received from Applicants	1,382 50
" " " Employers at $1.00	165 00
" " " Employers at 50 cents	388 00
	$1,986 55

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By Fees returned	$5 00
" Paid Treasurer of Association	1,843 01
	$1,848 01
Balance to new account	138 54
	$1,986 55

Examined and found correct January 31, 1901.

AUGUSTA D. HOPKINS,
H. C. VAN BUREN.

EMMA VAN BUREN, *Chairman.*

NEEDLE-WORK COMMITTEE.

New Consignors registered during 1900	174
Whole number of Consignors on register	1,542
Fancy articles sold in Department	4,940
Fancy articles sold at Christmas sale, opened Dec. 5th (included in preceding item)	2,127

The Salesroom has always on hand an extensive assortment of embroidered articles of all kinds, drawn-work, lace-work, etc., for table, personal, and other uses, and a great variety of attractive novelties, especially in the line of garments and other accessories for infants' and children's use. All these articles are the work of self-supporting women, and all sales in the Department are for the benefit of Consignors. In the Order Department misses' and children's dresses and cloaks are made at reasonable prices.

New Seamstresses registered during 1900	42
Whole number of Seamstresses now on register	361
Garments sold in Department	221
Orders filled (representing 8,724 articles)	1,244

REPORT OF THE "TIDE-OVER" WORK.

Women employed	24
Days' work given	837
Dresses and aprons made	847
Dresses and aprons sold	673

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance (Working Capital)	$2,612 16
Order work	11,310 58
Sales (Consignors' work and Department garments)	5,385 38
Order work and sales, "Tide-over"	1,480 45
Donations, " Tide-over "	115 00
Interest, McAlpin Legacy	250 00
	$21,153 57

DISBURSEMENTS.

Seamstresses, order work	$8,799 48
*Salaries, Department Assistants	944 00
Consignors	4,725 04
Seamstresses, "Tide-over"	842 54
Material, "Tide-over"	627 56
Expenses (Delivery of parcels, Stationery, etc.)	501 69
To Association Treasury (toward Clerks' Salaries)	1,000 00
Balance	3,713 26
	$21,153 57

Examined and found correct January 19, 1901,
E. JENNIE VAUGHAN,
ELLA F. CUSACK.

MARY J. CLARK, *Chairman.*

BOARD DIRECTORY COMMITTEE.

Families offering Board or Furnished Rooms on Register, December 31, 1900	643
New Families entered on Register during the year	248
New Applicants for City Board or Furnished Rooms entered on Register during the year	9,215
Applicants suited with Board or Rooms in 1900	8,147
Guests received for Grace Hall, Asbury Park, N. J.	250

The Board Directory is open daily from 9 A.M. to 6 P.M., and from 7 to 9 P.M. Members of the Committee are present from 10 to 12 A.M., and from 2 to 5 P.M.

Satisfactory references as to character and reliability are required from both landladies and applicants before they are entered on the Register, but the Board Directory assumes no legal responsibility.

Personal application to the Clerk of the Board Directory will be required from all landladies who desire to enter their names on the Register; a registration-fee of 50 cents for one year is charged; the houses are visited, and if found satisfactory, are entered on the books.

Applicants for board are not charged any registration-fee. Strangers who must have a boarding-place without delay can be received at the Margaret Louisa Home of the Association, or will be sent to transient accommodations until references can be obtained.

Board with lodging can be procured at from $6.00 to $12.00 per week in families. Furnished rooms without board range in price from $2.50 to $7.00 per week.

In Homes for Self-Supporting Women transient board and lodgings can be secured from 60 cents to $1.00 per day; in hotels, rooms $1.00 per day; board with room, from $1.50 to $2.00 per day.

* Does not cover Clerks' salaries, which are paid from Association Treasury.

The Seaside Summer Home of the Association, at Asbury Park, N. J., is for Protestant self-supporting women (except those in household service).

Terms (invariably cash in advance), $10.00 for two weeks, or $6.00 for one week; including excursion ticket by boat or railroad. A deposit of $1.00 is required when board is engaged, which will be allowed on payment for board.

All Applications for the Summer Home must be made in person at the Board Directory, Y. W. C. A., 7 East 15th Street, between the hours of 9 to 12 A.M., 1 to 6 P.M., and 7 to 9 P.M. References are required.

A "check-closet" has been added to this department. A fee of 5 cents for the first day and 2 cents for each succeeding day is charged for the care of packages; but the Directory is not responsible for damages, and no package must be left longer than one month.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Dr.	
To Balance from 1899 account	$41 16
" Housekeeper's fees	125 00
" Association Treasurer for Assistant Clerk	13 00
" Fees from Members	13 25
" Checking Fund	9 38
	$201 79

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By amounts paid—	
For Assistant Clerk	$38 60
" Office expenses	44 10
" Stationery and printing	19 05
Refunded to Housekeepers	2 50
Cash on Hand	20 00
	$124 25
Balance to new account	77 54
	$201 79

Examined and found correct,
Eva B. Browning,
S. M. Hatfield.

M. W. HATFIELD, *Chairman.*

Library and Reference-room.

Type-writing Class-room.

THE MARGARET LOUISA HOME COMMITTEE.

Number of persons in the Home, January 1, 1900	103
Admissions in 1900	7,260
Remained full time (four weeks)	163
" 2 weeks or over	270
" 1 week or over	815
" Less than 1 week	6,115
Total number of lodgings furnished	40,365
Number of occupations represented	82
Meals served in Restaurant during 1900	335,497
Largest number in one month (October)	31,278
" " " " day (September 18th)	1,207
" " at one meal (Lunch, December 8th)	610
Laundry record for 1900, pieces laundered	659,497

The Margaret Louisa Home is a Temporary Home for Protestant self-supporting women; references required.

The price of single rooms is 50 cents per day; rooms with two beds, 80 cents; rooms with one double bed for two persons, 75 cents; rooms with one double and one single bed for three persons, $1.15. The rent of rooms is payable, in all cases, in advance. The limit of time is four weeks for each guest.

The Restaurant is for all self-supporting women, as well as for guests of the Home. Price of Meals: Breakfast or Lunch, 20 cents; Dinner, 35 cents.

All inquiries and communications in regard to the Home should be addressed to Miss J. P. Cattell, Superintendent, Margaret Louisa Home, 14 East 16th Street, New York City.

M. A. DORMAN, *Chairman.*

THE WEST SIDE SETTLEMENT COMMITTEE.

Admissions to Home in 1900	100
Pupils in Classes during 1900	917
Pupils in Kindergarten during 1900	154
Present enrolled number	58
Number registered in Sewing Class	128
Number coming to Settlement weekly	2,300
Number of books in Library	3,090
Number of readers	2,257
Depositors in Penny Provident Fund	3,448
New depositors in 1900	984

Miss A. L. Fairfield, Head Settlement Worker.
Miss Annie Metz, Assistant Settlement Worker.
Miss A. M. Walker, House Mother.
Miss Ines C. Capponi, Kindergartner.
Miss F. Oswald, Assistant Kindergartner.
Mrs. H. M. Weed, Teacher of Millinery, Feather-curling, and Dress-making.

A home is provided at low rates for girls earning from three to five dollars a week. Devotional exercises and song-service every Sunday.

Afternoon and evening Millinery, Feather-curling, Dress-makers' Training, and Shirt-waist classes.

Additional classes: Kindergarten, City History, Singing, Gymnastics, Sewing, Wood-carving, Music, Drawing, Cooking, and Kitchen-garden. Games, Girls' Clubs. Mothers' Reception—once a month.

FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY.

Information will be gladly given at the West Side Settlement, 458 West 44th Street.

SALLY E. CRANE, *Chairman.*

GIFTS TO THE ASSOCIATION IN 1900.

TO THE ASSOCIATION PARLOR.

Books from Miss Doheny and Library Committee.

From Miss Maxwell, Games, Fancywork for Summer Circle, Photographs.

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Flowers from Miss Barhyte, Miss Bassett, Mrs. J. Hull Browning, Miss S. Coghill, Miss Doheny, Miss Gibson, Miss Martin, and Miss Stokes.

TO THE BIBLE CLASS.

From Mrs. Shepard, for Bible Readings, $350.

From Mrs. Shepard, 1,300 copies of "Flowers of Thought," for distribution at the Easter Service of the Bible Class; also Flowers for Easter Service.

Flowers every Sunday for Bible Class Service from Miss M. T. Cockcroft.

Flowers for Easter and Thanksgiving Services from Mrs. Beebe, Mrs. J. Hull Browning, Mrs. B. S. Clark, Mrs. Bashford Dean, Miss E. Doheny, Mrs. Dorman, Miss Anne A. Dorman, Mr. Roderick A. Dorman, Mrs. I. M. Dyckman, Mrs. T. J. Flagg, Mrs. G. M. Grant, Miss Annie Gibson, Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, Mrs. E. F. Shepard, Miss E. M. Smith, Miss Stimson, Mrs. A. M. Welch, Mrs. J. G. Wilson.

Also from Mrs. Beebe, "In loving memory of our family in Paradise;" Miss Ballard, "In memory of H. P. L.;" Mrs. R. A. Dorman, "In memory of Kenneth A. Dorman;" Mrs. Francis Howe Johnson, "In loving memory of M. de K. C.;" Mrs. W. K. Otis, "In memoriam;" Miss E. M. Smith, "In Memoriam G. M. S., J. M. S.;" Mrs. Stimson, "In loving memory;" Miss Stimson, "In memory;" Miss C. P. Whitlock, "In memory of Ellene Alice Bailey."

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Miss G. B. Ballard	$10 00
Mrs. J. Hull Browning	10 00
Miss Butterworth	5 00
Mrs. George F. Butterworth	10 00
Miss J. P. Cattell	5 00
Miss E. V. Cockcroft	50 00
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Miss M. T. Cockcroft (additional)	10 00
Mrs. Charles Finney Cox	10 00
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Mr. Roderick A. Dorman	5 00
Mrs. R. A. Dorman	10 00
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Mrs. Edwin Francis Hatfield	10 00
Mrs. W. W. Hoppin	5 00
Miss A. D. Hopkins	10 00
Mr. Robert Jaffray	10 00
Miss A. G. McNamee	10 00
Mrs. Richard McNamee	10 00
Mrs. Charles W. Packard	5 00
Miss E. C. Schettler	10 00
Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard	250 00
Mrs. Charles E. Sherman	50 00
Miss Emily Meier Smith	10 00
Mrs. B. F. Watson	5 00
Mrs. A. M. Welch	5 00
	$597 50

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Miss S. Louise Acker	$5 00
Miss Ballard	10 00
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Miss Beekman	5 00
Miss Fanny L. Benedict	5 00
Mrs. Bashford Dean	5 00
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Mrs. W. W. Hoppin	5 00
Miss Hopkins	5 00
Miss Ada I. Jacobus	5 00
Miss Moore	5 00
Miss McNamee	5 00
Miss E. E. Odell	5 00
Miss Mary Odell	5 00
Mrs. M. T. Pyne	10 00
Miss Mary P. Quincy	5 00
Mrs. W. L. Slater	5 00
Miss Stokes	150 00
Miss C. P. Stokes	100 00
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Mr. James Godfrey Wilson	10 00

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FOR ENTERTAINMENTS.

Miss M. T. Cockcroft	$10 00
Miss A. B. Jennings	50 00
Miss Moore	1 00
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From Miss A. B. Jennings, Renewal of Telephone.

GIFTS TO NEEDLE-WORK DEPARTMENT.

FOR CHRISTMAS SALE.

Basket collection from Committee for Decorations, $19.75.
Gifts from Mrs. Swords and Mrs. Blodgett.
Musical Entertainment by Mrs. Josephine Jennings Percy, Mr. Frederick C. Hilliard, Rev. Lindsay B. Longacre, through Mrs. W. M. Bennet.
Loan of grand piano from Steinway & Sons.

FOR THE TIDE-OVER FUND.

Miss Carpenter	$10 00
Miss Cattell	5 00
Mrs. E. F. Shepard	100 00

GIFTS TO THE BOARD DIRECTORY.

From Mrs. W. R. H. Martin	$150 00

FOR SEASIDE SUMMER-HOME AT ASBURY PARK.

Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard	$1,000 00
Mrs. Wilson Peterson	5 00
Mrs. F. A. Baldwin	5 00
Mrs. E. F. Hatfield	5 00

From Library of Y. W. C. A., 50 Art Studies and Cheer-pictures, 8 unbound volumes.
" Mrs. R. A. Dorman, "The Outlook."
" Mrs. Wilson Peterson, 3 Columbia Bicycles.
" Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, 22 Window-shades, 1 Brussels carpet, 1 roll of Wilton carpet, 1 roll of Axminster carpet, 1 Letter-scales.

GIFTS TO THE WEST SIDE SETTLEMENT.

Anonymous	$11 25
Miss Emily Betts	5 00
Miss L. D. Booth	5 00
Miss Helen Butterworth	5 00
Miss J. P. Cattell	5 00
Mrs. Joel B. Eckhardt	4 00
Mrs. E. J. Hancy	5 00
Mrs. Morris K. Jesup	150 00
Mrs. W. R. H. Martin	32 20
Miss Ethel Richmond	2 80
Mrs. Whitelaw Reid	200 00
Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard	100 00
Mrs. Fayette Smith	23 00
Mrs. George Trowbridge	5 00
Mrs. Wilfred Thompson	3 50
Miss E. T. Walker	10 00
Miss E. A. Watson	10 00

From Mrs. C. E. Beebe, Picture.
" Miss Bolton, through Miss Whitlock, Clock.
" Miss Cockcroft, Pictures.
" Mrs. Bashford Dean, Jelly and Catsup.
" Mrs. T. J. Flagg, Plant and Vase.
" Mrs. E. T. Hall, Two Evening Entertainments.
" Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, Chair, Steamer-chairs, Book-case, Side-table, Lamp-shade, Pitchers, Books, and Pictures.
" Mr. Henry A. Smith, Gymnastic Apparatus, Clothing for Rummage Sale.
" University Extension Society, 24 Lessons in Gymnastics, 20 Lessons in Kitchen-garden, Lectures to Mothers, 12 Cooking Lessons.

Flowers from the Flower and Fruit Guilds of Fishkill, Cranston, and Morristown.

Many packages without names, particularly clothing and magazines.

FOR LIBRARY.

From Library Y. W. C. A., 208 Bound Books, 38 Unbound Books, 50 Pictures.

Gifts of Books and Magazines from

Miss Aitken,
American Book Company,
Mrs. Barbour,
Mrs. Beebe,
Miss Butterworth,
Mr. Butterworth,
Mrs. Cox,
Miss Duckwitz,
Mrs. Flagg,
Ginn & Co.,
Mrs. Goddard,
Mrs. Harris,
Mrs. Hotchkiss,
Mrs. Livingston,
Miss Macy,
Mrs. Martin,
Mr. Smith,
Mrs. Strobe,
Mr. Sturgis,
Mrs. Taylor,
Miss Thurston.

FOR FRESH-AIR WORK.

Miss A. Barlow	$5 00	Mrs. T. J. Flagg	$5 00
Miss H. Barlow	16 00	Mrs. W. R. H. Martin	5 00
Miss Brooks	5 00	Rummage Sale	51 00
Mrs. G. F. Butterworth	5 00	Mrs. G. W. Vanderhoff	5 00
Mrs. S. Derickson	2 50	Mrs. C. H. Welch, through Miss M. B. Fairfield	50 00
Mrs. Dickerman	2 50		

Tribune Fresh Air Fund, Two Excursions and party of children sent to country.

Mr. Warner, of Orange Valley Settlement, Two Excursions to Orange Mountain.

Christian Herald, Party of children sent to country.

Miss Julia Delafield, Excursion for girls.

Mrs. Hoe, Mother and child sent to Sea Cliff, Girls sent to Armide Rest, Oceanic, N. J.

Mrs. F. J. Allen, Turkey.
Barnard College Y. W. C. A., Food for Thanksgiving dinners for the poor, and candy for Christmas.
Mrs. Beebe, Mince-pie, home-made pickles and sauces.
Mrs. Crane, Plum-pudding, mince-pies, preserves.
Mrs. R. A. Dorman, Bananas, oranges, nuts, raisins, fruit-cake, and biscuits.
Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, Mince-pies.
Mrs. Robert Jaffray, Jr., Sweet potatoes.
Kindergarten children, oranges.
Miss M. A. Stimson, Turkey, 150 Christmas-cards.
Mrs. Alfred L. White, Apples.
Unknown Donor, Large Turkey.

January 1 to

Dr. THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY

To *Income from Investments:*		
For General Work	$6,444 99	
" Class Department	650 00	
" Needlework Department	250 00	
" Relief Committee	250 00	
		$7,594 99
Class Department:		
To Donations	$3,520 00	
" Sale of Materials	1,555 27	
" Fees	11,327 64	
		16,402 91
" Annual Subscriptions		4,640 00
" Donations for General Work		1,266 00
Special Donations:		
For Travelers' Aid Department, Paris	$50 00	
" Committee on Education and Entertainments	200 00	
" Library	300 00	
" Employment Bureau	40 00	
" Needlework Department	1,031 00	
" Tide-over Fund	105 00	
" Board Directory	150 00	
" Fresh Air Fund	250 00	
" Summer Home (Asbury Park)	1,000 00	
" West Side Settlement	300 00	
" Relief Committee	100 00	
		3,526 00
To Life Membership		50 00
" Associate Membership Fees		772 00
" Cash from Comptroller of the City of New York, five payments for Free Library Work		6,325 00
" Employment Bureau Fees		1,843 01
" Advertising in Report		95 00
" Rent of Hall		20 00
" Contingent Fund (for summer expenses)		8,230 00
" Margaret Louisa Home, for Steam and Electricity		5,847 43
Miscellaneous:		
To Telephone Messages	$3 90	
" Sale Portland Cement	3 00	
" " Photographs	19 00	
" " Journals, Badges, Directories (International Board)	6 21	
		32 11
Total Receipts		$56,644 45
Balance on hand January 1, 1900		126 56
		$56,771 01

FUNDS IN MERCANTILE

Receipts:	
Legacy of Miss Elizabeth G. Cunningham	$5,000 00
Legacy of Mrs. Carolyn E. Hollister	5,000 00
On acct. Mtge., N. Y. Genealogical and Biographical Soc.	10,000 00
Interest on Funds in Trust Company	256 00
	$20,256 00
Balance January 1, 1900	8,883 07
	$29,139 07

Examined and found correct, January 9, 1901.

REPORT.

December 31, 1900.

OF NEW YORK, *in account with* FLORENCE B. ELLIOTT, *Treasurer.* *Cr.*

By Chaplain's Department		$2,253 63
" Membership Department		532 50
" Committee on Education and Entertainments		367 65
" Class Department		17,446 63
Library:		
By Special Gifts paid to Committee	$300 00	
" Salaries	2,820 00	
" Book-binding	803 94	
" Balance of city allowance paid to Book Fund	1,866 71	
		5,790 65
By Employment Bureau		2,610 29
" Needlework Department		2,230 00
" Tide-over Fund		105 00
" Board Directory		1,149 99
" Fresh Air Fund		250 00
" Summer Home (Asbury Park)		1,100 00
" House Expenses		4,737 15
" Cellar Expenses		4,567 99
" West Side Settlement		4,050 00
" Relief Committee		350 00
" Advertising		16 18
" Stationery and Printing		1,437 56
" Insurance		113 44
" Safe Deposit Box		34 00
" Miscellaneous		411 31
" Travelers' Aid Department, Paris		100 00
" Margaret Louisa Home, Steam and Electricity		5,847 43
		$55,501 70
Balance on hand		1,269 31
		$56,771 01

TRUST COMPANY.

Disbursements:	
General Fund for current expenses	$8,230 00
Balance	20,909 07
	$29,139 07

AUGUSTA D. HOPKINS,
ELLA W. GRANT,
EVA B. BROWNING.

THE MARGARET LOUISA HOME ACCOUNT.

January 1 to December 31, 1900.

THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* J. P. CATTELL, *Superintendent.*

Dr.		*Cr.*	
To Balance January 1, 1900	$64 86	By Salaries and Wages	$24,378 87
" Receipts from Lodgers	17,676 93	" Steam and Electricity (Paid Y. W. C. A.)	4,695 87
" Receipts from Restaurant	72,591 16	" Coal and Wood	651 65
" Receipts from Laundry	4,991 34	" Electric Lamps	81 80
" Receipts from Storage	140 20	" Gas	256 68
" Receipts from Checking Packages	369 62	" Food	47,956 62
" Receipts from Breakage	44 26	" Rooms and Meals for Employees	11,508 00
" Receipts from Meals Served in Rooms	27 97	" Laundry Work for Rooms and Restaurant	4,100 44
" Receipts from Extra Gas	2 75	" Printing	116 60
" Receipts from Sale of Stationery	106 62	" Stationery and Postage	761 45
" Receipts from Telephone Pay Station	217 45	" Refunded on Advance Payments	396 65
		" Laundry Supplies	267 66
		" Household Supplies	668 76
		" Telephone Service	201 20
		" Special Fire Alarm Service	72 00
		" Insurance	50 00
			$96,164 25
		Balance to New Account	68 91
	$96,233 16		$96,233 16

Examined and found correct, January 14, 1901.

ELIZABETH McL. PACKARD,
IDA V. AMBROSE,
Auditing Committee.

Design and Modeling Class-room.

Drawing and Painting Class-room.

ASBURY PARK SUMMER HOME ACCOUNT.

January 1 to December 31, 1900.

THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* BESSIE C. HARRIS, *Treasurer.*

Dr.		*Cr.*	
To Balance in Bank of Metropolis, Jan. 1, 1900	$249 62	By Rent of Grace Hall	$900 00
" Donation from Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard, for rent of Grace Hall	1,000 00	" Rent of Bath-houses	30 00
" Receipts from Board and R. R. Tickets	1,998 62	" Rent of Piano	25 00
" Receipts for Repairs	28 33	" Insurance	13 11
" Rent from Bath-houses	51 68	" Water Rent	22 71
		" Electricity	1 90
		" Railroad Tickets	315 24
		" Salaries and Wages	468 64
		" Provisions and Supplies	958 96
		" Fuel	32 23
		" Furnishings and Repairs	110 32
		" Printing	5 75
		" Balance to New Account	444 39
	$3,328 25		$3,328 25

Audited and found correct, November 15, 1900.

EVA B. BROWNING,
CAROLINE P. WHITLOCK,
Auditing Committee.

THE WEST SIDE SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT.

January 1 to December 31, 1900.

THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* HELEN K. FLAGG, *Treasurer.*

Dr.		*Cr.*	
To Balance on hand January 1, 1900	$413 99	By Paid Annual Rental of 453 West 47th St.	$1,335 96
" Donations during 1900	594 25	" Amount expended for Salaries and Wages	2,622 86
" Amount of Appropriations from Y. W. C. A.	3,750 00	" Amount expended for Classes	404 88
" Receipts from Boarders	2,118 13	" House Expenses	1,711 76
" Receipts from Classes	189 62	" Paid for Coal	171 60
		" Balance to New Account	818 93
	$7,065 99		$7,065 99

Examined and found correct, January 18, 1901.

AUGUSTA D. HOPKINS,
EMMA C. GRANT, 2D,
MARY T. WHITE.

LEGACIES, MEMORIALS, AND FUNDS

RECEIVED BY THE ASSOCIATION.

In 1876, Legacy of Mr. James Stokes, interest to be used for Writing and Book-keeping Classes.
" 1878, Legacy of Miss Mary A. Danser.
" 1880, Legacy of Mr. Marshall O. Roberts.
" 1883, Legacy of Admiral Godon.
" 1888, Gift from the Estate of Mrs. Ann Aitken.
" 1888, Legacy of Mrs. J. J. Astor, interest to be used for current expenses.
" 1888, Legacy of Mr. Frederick H. Cossitt.
" 1888, The Sarah W. Merriam *In Memoriam* Fund, interest to be used for Needle-work Classes.
" 1890, Gift of the Misses Stokes, interest to be used for Writing and Book-keeping Classes.
" 1891, The Mary Elizabeth Hoyt Memorial Case of Fine Art Books for the Library.
" 1891, The Hannah N. Lawrence Trust Fund, interest to be used for loans and relief.
" 1891, Legacy of Mrs. Mary Rogers.
" 1892, Legacy of Mrs. Adelia Gardiner McAlpin, interest to be used by the Needle-work Department.
" 1893, Gift of Miss Helen Miller Gould, in memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gould, interest to be used for Business Classes.
" 1893, Legacy of Mrs. Fredericka W. Waring.
" 1897, Legacy of Mrs. Elizabeth Fogg.
" 1898, Legacy of Mary A. Edson, on account, $8,000.
" 1899, Balance of Legacy Mrs. Fredericka W. Waring.
" 1899, Estate of Mary A. Edson, 130 shares Celluloid Co. Stock.
" 1900, Legacy of Mrs. Carolyn E. Hollister.
" 1900, Legacy of Miss Elizabeth G. Cunningham.

Income received from the above in 1900.....$7,850 99

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 1900

FROM

ACTIVE AND SUSTAINING MEMBERS AND SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions and Donations should be sent to the Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. F. Butterworth, 104 East 30th Street.

Members and Subscribers are requested to pay their Annual Subscriptions to the Assistant Treasurer during the months of January and February.

The Assistant Treasurer will be glad to be notified of any error in the lists of subscribers and donors.

Acker, Miss S. L.	$5 00	Barker, Miss M. P.	$5 00
Aitken, Miss H. J.	5 00	Barnes, Mrs. T. M.	10 00
*Allen, Mr. F. J.	25 00	Barnum, Miss J. S.	5 00
Allen, Mrs. F. J.	25 00	Bassett, Miss A. H.	2 00
Allien, Mrs. L. H.	10 00	Baylies, Mrs. N. E.	10 00
Ambrose, Miss I. V.	4 00	Bayne, Miss V. L.	5 00
Ambrose, Miss Mary	4 00	Beadleston, Mrs. W. H.	5 00
Andrews, Mrs. Thomas	5 00	Beddall, Mrs. E. F.	20 00
Armour, Mrs. H. O.	25 00	Beebe, Mrs. C. E.	10 00
Arnold, Mrs. W. H.	2 00	Beekman, Miss C. A.	5 00
Auchincloss, Mrs. E. S.	10 00	Bell, Mrs. J. C.	5 00
Auchincloss, Mrs. H. D.	50 00	Bement, Miss Harriet	10 00
Auchmuty, Mrs. R. T.	20 00	Benedict, Miss A. C.	2 00
Babcock, Miss C. L.	5 00	Benedict, Mrs. C. W.	5 00
Babcock, Mrs. Paul	5 00	Benedict, Miss F. L.	2 00
Bachman, Mrs. S.	5 00	Benedict, Mrs. J. H.	25 00
Baldwin, Mrs. F. A.	5 00	Benedict, Miss L. F.	5 00
Ballard, Miss G. B.	10 00	Bennet, Mrs. W. M.	5 00
Ballin, Miss Bessie	1 00	Bernheimer, Mrs. M. S.	5 00
Bangs, Miss E. M.	3 00	Biglow, Miss Bessie	2 00
Bangs, Mrs. F. H.	5 00	Bird, Mrs. George	5 00
Bangs, Mrs. F. S.	5 00	Bishop, Mrs. H. R.	100 00
Bangs, Miss J. F.	5 00	Bissell, Mrs. Arthur	5 00
Bangs, Mrs. L. B.	25 00	Black, Mrs. R. C.	50 00
Barbour, Mrs. W. D.	5 00	Blakeman, Mrs. Birdseye	10 00
Barclay, Mrs. H. A.	5 00	Bliss, Mrs. E. W.	5 00
Barker, Miss M. C.	5 00	Blodgett, Mrs. F. J.	5 00

* Deceased.

Blodgett, Mrs. J. J.	$5 00
Blyth, Mrs. H. A.	5 00
Boardman, Miss C. L.	5 00
Boorman, Mrs. J. A.	5 00
Booth, Mrs. F. A.	5 00
Booth, Miss K. M.	2 00
Booth, Miss L. D.	5 00
Bowen, Mrs. C. W.	5 00
Bowne, Miss E. E.	2 00
Boyd, Miss A. M.	10 00
Briddon, Miss Ada	10 00
Bromley, Mrs. M. S.	10 00
Brookfield, Mrs. William	5 00
Brooks, Mrs. C. H.	5 00
Brooks, Miss M. D.	1 00
Brooks, Mrs. W. R.	5 00
Brower, Mrs. C. DeH.	5 00
Brown, Miss E. W.	5 00
Brown, Mrs. J. C.	10 00
Brown, Miss M. V.	5 00
Brown, Mrs. V. H.	5 00
Brown, Mrs. W. H.	5 00
Browning, Mrs. J. H.	5 00
Brush, Miss A. F.	5 00
Brush, Mrs. C. H.	5 00
Buckingham, Miss Eva	5 00
Burkam, Miss C. T.	5 00
Bussing, Mrs. J. S.	5 00
Bussing, Miss Mary	10 00
Butterworth, Mrs. G. F.	5 00
Butterworth, Miss H. A.	5 00
Cannon, Mrs. S. T.	5 00
Card, Mrs. J. V. D.	3 00
Carpenter, Miss H. K.	5 00
*Casey, Mrs. M. deK.	10 00
Cattell, Miss J. P.	5 00
Cauldwell, Miss S. L.	5 00
Cauldwell, Mrs. W. A.	10 00
Chapin, Mrs. Alfred	5 00
Clark, Mrs. B. S.	5 00
Clark, Mrs. T. B.	5 00
Clews, Mrs. J. H. (1899)	5 00
Cockcroft, Miss E. V.	20 00
Cockcroft, Miss M. T.	25 00
Colgate, Mr. Bowles	5 00
Colgate, Mrs. Bowles	5 00
Colgate, Miss Florence	5 00
Colgate, Miss Hannah	$10 00
Colgate, Mrs. J. C.	5 00
Colt, Mrs. R. C.	5 00
Colton, Mrs. F. C.	5 00
Comey, Mrs. J. F.	5 00
Comstock, Mrs. G. C.	5 00
Condie, Mrs. James	5 00
*Congdon, Mrs. R. A.	5 00
Cook, Mrs. C. T.	10 00
Cook, Mrs. J. M.	10 00
Cooper, Mrs. C. W.	10 00
Cornell, Mrs. J. M.	10 00
Cotheal, Miss E. H.	5 00
Cowing, Mrs. R. B., Jr.	2 00
Cox, Mrs. C. F.	5 00
Cox, Miss Ruth	5 00
Crane, Mrs. R. S.	5 00
Craufurd, Mrs. R. S.	10 00
Crosby, Miss M. R.	5 00
Crumbie, Mrs. J. F.	5 00
Cunningham, Miss M. M.	5 00
Cusack, Miss E. F.	2 00
Cuyler, Miss E. deG.	10 00
Damrosch, Mrs. Walter	5 00
Danforth, Mrs. Elliot	10 00
Daniels, Mrs. Lorenzo	5 00
Davison, Mrs. C. B.	25 00
Davison, Miss E. B.	10 00
Davison, Mrs. H. J.	10 00
Dean, Mrs. Bashford	5 00
De Angelis, Miss Ada	5 00
Delano, Mrs. Eugene	10 00
Dennis, Mrs. J. S.	5 00
Denny, Mrs. Thomas	10 00
Derickson, Mrs. S.	5 00
Deyo, Miss C. DuB.	1 00
Deyo, Miss J. D.	1 00
Dickey, Mrs. Hugh	10 00
Dodd, Mrs. S. C. T.	5 00
Dodge, Miss C. A. C.	10 00
Doheny, Miss Ella	5 00
Dominick, Mrs. W. G.	20 00
Dorman, Miss A. A.	5 00
Dorman, Mrs. R. A.	20 00
Dorsett, Miss E. L.	5 00
Draper, Miss L. H.	5 00
Duncan, Mrs. Butler	5 00

* Deceased.

du Pont, Mrs. H. A.	$5 00
Du Puy, Miss E. L.	2 00
Duryee, Mrs. J. E.	2 00
Dyckman, Mrs. I. M.	5 00
Dyckman, Miss Susan	10 00
Dyer, Miss K. J.	5 00
Edgar, Mrs. James A.	10 00
Edwards, Mrs. Pierrepont	10 00
Elliott, Mrs. G. L.	5 00
Elmendorf, Miss M. C.	5 00
Evans, Mrs. Henry	5 00
Ewell, Mrs. J. N.	5 00
Fabbri, Mrs. Ernesto	5 00
Fabbri, Mrs. E. G.	50 00
Faust, Mrs. J. A.	5 00
Ferry, Mrs. A. J.	5 00
Ferry, Mrs. T. S.	5 00
Fessenden, Miss E. C.	5 00
Fisher, Miss E. R.	10 00
Flagg, Mrs. T. J.	10 00
Flagler, Mrs. H. H.	5 00
Flint, Miss Annie	5 00
Foote, Mrs. C. B.	5 00
Foote, Mrs. E. M.	20 00
Fordyce, Mrs. J. A.	10 00
Foster, Mrs. E. W.	5 00
Francis, Mrs. C. W.	5 00
Frelinghuysen, Mrs. G. G.	5 00
Galpen, Miss H. C.	5 00
Geddes, Mrs. C. P.	5 00
Geer, Mrs. Walter	25 00
Gibney, Dr. V. P.	10 00
Gillespie, Miss H. G.	5 00
Goodhue, Mrs. C. C.	5 00
Goodridge, Mrs. Frederic	10 00
Goodwin, Mrs. J. J.	10 00
Gorham, Mrs. F. G.	5 00
Graham, Mrs. Malcolm	10 00
Graham, Miss M. D.	5 00
Grant, Miss E. C.	5 00
Grant, Miss E. T.	5 00
Grant, Mrs. G. M.	5 00
Graves, Miss V. R.	5 00
Greenfield, Mrs. G. J.	5 00
Greenough, Mrs. John	5 00
Greenwood, Miss Mary	5 00
Griffin, Mrs. E. C.	2 00
Griffen, Mrs. F. B.	5 00
Guernsey, Mrs. J. R.	$5 00
Guernsey, Miss Ruth	5 00
Guimarais, Mrs. Antonio	5 00
Gunther, Mrs. F. W.	15 00
Gurnee, Miss Delia	10 00
Hall, Mrs. J. H.	25 00
Hall, Miss M. J.	2 00
Hall, Miss M. M.	3 00
Halsted, Miss L. P.	5 00
Halsted, Miss M. M.	5 00
Hamilton, Mrs. W. P.	5 00
Hancy, Mrs. E. J.	10 00
Harris, Mrs. J. B.	3 00
Hart, Mrs. G. S.	5 00
Hartshorne, Mrs. S. G.	5 00
Hatch, Mrs. D. B.	5 00
Hatfield, Mrs. E. F.	15 00
Hatfield, Miss S. M.	5 00
Hayes, Miss L. F.	5 00
Hegeman, Mrs. J. R., Jr.	2 00
Hertzel, Miss C. M.	5 00
Hills, Miss S. B.	5 00
Hodgman, Mrs. G. F.	5 00
Holbrook, Miss Grace	5 00
Holmes, Mrs. E. T.	5 00
Hopkins, Miss A. D.	5 00
Hoppin, Miss E. P.	5 00
Hoppin, Mrs. W. W.	10 00
Hotchkiss, Mrs. Clark B.	5 00
Hotchkiss, Miss M. R.	5 00
Houghtaling, Mrs. D. H.	5 00
Howe, Mrs. W. P.	5 00
Hubbard, Mrs. Harry	5 00
Hubbard, Miss H. W.	5 00
Humphrey, Mrs. W. H.	5 00
Huntoon, Mrs. E. M.	5 00
Hyde, Mrs. A. F.	5 00
Hyde, Mrs. E. F.	10 00
Inslee, Mrs. S.	5 00
Iredell, Mrs. F. W.	5 00
Ireland, Mrs. J. B.	5 00
Isham, Miss Flora	5 00
Ivison, Mrs. D. B.	10 00
Ivison, Miss S.	10 00
Ivison, Mrs. W. C.	10 00
Jacobus, Miss A. I.	5 00
Jaffray, Miss E. B.	5 00
Jaffray, Mr. Robert	10 00

Jaffray, Mr. Robert, Jr....	$5 00
Jaffray, Mrs. Robert, Jr....	5 00
Janeway, Mrs. E. G.....	5 00
Janeway, Miss E. L.....	5 00
Jayne, Miss Alice.....	10 00
Jayne, Mr. F. A.....	10 00
Jayne, Mrs. F. A.....	10 00
Jefferson, Mrs. C. E.....	5 00
Jennings, Miss A. B.....	50 00
Jennings, Mr. F. B.....	50 00
Jennings, Mrs. F. B.....	50 00
Jesup, Mr. M. K.....	100 00
Jesup, Mrs. M. K.....	20 00
Jewett, Mrs. G. L.....	5 00
Johnson, Mrs. E. M.....	5 00
Johnson, Mrs. F. H.....	10 00
Johnson, Mrs. I. G.....	5 00
Jones, Miss F. O.....	5 00
Kearny, Miss S. I.....	5 00
Kellogg, Mrs. Charles.....	10 00
Kelsey, Mrs. C. B.....	5 00
Kennedy, Mr. J. S.....	100 00
Kimball, Mrs. F. G.....	5 00
King, Mrs. P. R.....	5 00
Kingsland, Mrs. W. M....	5 00
Kingsley, Mrs. W. M.....	10 00
Kirby, Miss K. R.....	5 00
Kittel, Mrs. J. J.....	10 00
Kühne, Miss Irma.....	5 00
Lambert, Mrs. William.....	5 00
Lapham, Mrs. L. H.....	10 00
Ledoux, Mrs. A. R.....	10 00
Leeds, Mrs. Harriet E.....	5 00
Leffingwell, Mrs. C. R.....	5 00
Leland, Miss	5 00
Lent, Miss Aletta.....	5 00
Lesher, Mrs. A. L.....	2 00
Lewis, Mrs. F. E.....	10 00
Lewis, Mrs. J. v. B.....	15 00
Lincoln, Mrs. R. P.....	10 00
Livingston, Mrs. S. O.....	20 00
Ludlow, Mrs. E. L.....	10 00
Lyford, Miss F. C.....	1 00
Lyford, Mrs. W. C.....	1 00
Lyman, Mrs. R. M.....	1 00
Macy, Mrs. G. H.....	10 00
Macy, Mrs. W. H., Jr.....	5 00
*Maghee, Mrs. T. H.....	$10 00
Maitland, Mrs. Alexander..	5 00
Manning, Mrs. H. S.....	10 00
Martin, Mr. L. T.....	25 00
Martin, Mrs. W. M.....	5 00
Martin, Mr. W. R. H.....	50 00
Martin, Mrs. W. R. H....	25 00
Marvin, Mrs. W. B.....	5 00
Mathews, Miss Florence...	5 00
Mattison, Mrs. J. G.....	5 00
Maxwell, Miss A. S.....	5 00
Maxwell, Mrs. W. H.....	10 00
McCarter, Mrs. E. C.....	1 00
McCook, Mrs. J. J.....	15 00
McKewan, Mrs. J. P.....	5 00
McKim, Mrs. Haslett.....	10 00
McLean, Miss Ellen.....	5 00
McNamee, Miss A. G.....	5 00
McNamee, Mrs. Richard...	10 00
Mead, Mrs. C. L.....	5 00
Mead, Miss K. L.....	5 00
Meigs, Mrs. T. B.....	5 00
Merriam, Miss A. L.....	10 00
*Merrill, Mrs. C. E.....	5 00
Merrill, Mrs. Payson.....	5 00
Mills, Mr. D. O.....	100 00
Mitchell, Mrs. C. B.....	5 00
Mitchell, Mrs. J. A.....	5 00
Moir, Miss Mary.....	10 00
Moller, Mrs. C. G.....	5 00
Moller, Miss S. A.....	5 00
Moore, Mrs. F. C.....	5 00
Moore, Miss E. V. P.....	2 00
Moore, Miss M. M.....	5 00
Moore, Miss S. R.....	5 00
Moore, Mrs. W. D.....	5 00
Morewood, Mrs. A. P.....	5 00
Morgan, Mrs, J. P.....	10 00
Morrison, Mrs. G. A.....	5 00
Mortimer, Mrs. W. Y.....	100 00
Munn, Mrs. H. N.....	10 00
Newton, Miss A. G.....	5 00
Newton, Mrs. G. B.....	5 00
Northrop, Mrs. Frank.....	5 00
Oakley, Mrs. E. B.....	5 00
Odell, Miss E. E.....	5 00
Ogden, Mrs. G. M.....	5 00

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Orr, Mrs. A. M.	$5 00
Osborn, Mrs. W. C.	10 00
Osborn, Mrs. W. H.	10 00
Otis, Mrs. W. K.	10 00
Packard, Mrs. C. W.	5 00
Pardee, Mrs. C. I.	5 00
Parish, Miss Helen	5 00
Peaslee, Mrs. E. H.	10 00
Pell, Miss Ella	5 00
Pell, Miss Laura	5 00
Perkins, Mrs. E. H., Jr.	10 00
Perlee, Miss M. L.	5 00
Peterson, Miss F. C.	1 00
Peterson, Mrs. Wilson	50 00
Phillips, Mrs. W. H.	10 00
Poillon, Mrs. J. O.	5 00
Potter, Miss Martha	20 00
Prall, Miss	10 00
Pruyn, Miss M. L.	25 00
Pruyn, Miss N. K.	25 00
Pyle, Mrs. J. T.	10 00
Randall, Mrs. J. W.	5 00
Ray, Mrs. Alfred	5 00
Read, Miss M. E.	1 00
Redfield, Miss M. E.	3 00
Rees, Mr. Norman	10 00
Reid, Mrs. Whitelaw	50 00
Reynolds, Miss G. E.	5 00
Richard, Miss Elvine	5 00
Ripley, Miss J. T.	20 00
Robert, Mrs. J. E.	5 00
Roberts, Miss M. M.	15 00
Robertson, Miss Jessie	5 00
Robins, Mrs. F. F.	5 00
Rockefeller, Miss Alta	5 00
Rockwood, Mrs. W. H.	2 00
Rogers, Mrs. H. H.	10 00
Romaine, Mrs. B. F.	10 00
Runk, Mrs. C. A.	15 00
Sahler, Miss E. F.	5 00
Satterlee, Miss Marion	5 00
Schettler, Miss E. C.	5 00
Schieffelin, Mrs. H. M.	10 00
Schieffelin, Mr. S. B.	5 00
Schieffelin, Mrs. W. J.	50 00
Schley, Miss S. S.	5 00
Schley, Mrs. W. T.	5 00
Schwab, Mrs. Gustav	10 00
Scott, Miss G. G.	$5 00
Scudder, Mrs. S. D.	5 00
Shardlow, Mrs. Joseph	5 00
Sheffield, Mrs. Archibald	5 00
Sheldon, Mrs. C. D.	5 00
Sheldon, Mrs. J. O.	10 00
Shepard, Mrs. E. F.	100 00
Shrady, Mrs. G. F. (1899 and 1900)	10 00
Slade, Mrs. G. P.	10 00
Sloane, Mrs. W. D.	50 00
Smith, Mrs. A. A.	5 00
Smith, Mrs. C. S.	10 00
Smith, Miss E. M.	5 00
Smith, Mrs. E. P.	5 00
Smith, Mrs. Fayette	5 00
Smith, Mrs. Josephine	5 00
Smith, Mrs. J. C.	5 00
Smith, Mrs. W. W.	5 00
Spaulding, Mrs. E. N.	3 00
Spencer, Miss A. L.	2 00
Spring, Miss S. B.	5 00
Stanton, Mrs. G. N.	10 00
Stanton, Mrs. L. L.	5 00
Starin, Mrs. C. F.	5 00
Starr, Mrs. L. M.	10 00
Stebbins, Mrs. Russell	5 00
Stetson, Mrs. F. L.	25 00
Stevenson, Mrs. A. L.	10 00
Stewart, Mrs. A. M.	5 00
Stewart, Miss Mary	5 00
Stimson, Mrs. F. J.	5 00
Stimson, Miss M. A.	5 00
Stoddard, Mrs. C. H.	5 00
Stokes, Miss C. P.	10 00
Stokes, Miss O. E. P.	10 00
Stone, Mrs. A. B.	5 00
Stone, Mrs. C. F.	5 00
Strebeigh, Mrs. Lefferts	5 00
Stuart, Mrs. R. M.	5 00
Sweetser, Miss A. M.	5 00
Sweetser, Miss J. A.	3 00
Sweetser, Mrs. J. H.	5 00
Swift, Mrs. G. M.	5 00
Swords, Mrs. H. C.	5 00
Talbot, Miss Anne	1 00
Talcott, Miss	2 00
Talmadge, Mrs. Henry	5 00

Taylor, Mrs. C. G.	$5 00
Taylor, Mrs. Horace S.	3 00
Ten Broeck, Mrs. N. E.	10 00
Terry, Mrs. J. T.	5 00
Thayer, Mrs. H. W.	5 00
Thayer, Miss Mary E.	5 00
Thomas, Mrs. J. R.	5 00
Thompson, Mrs. F. F.	20 00
Thorp, Mrs. A. G.	5 00
Thorp, Miss E. G.	2 00
Thurston, Miss J. B.	5 00
Tifft, Mrs. H. N.	5 00
Tonnelé, Mrs. J. N.	5 00
Tonnelé, Mrs. Walter	5 00
Townsend, Mrs. J. P.	5 00
Trowbridge, Mrs. E. D.	5 00
Trowbridge, Mr. F. K.	25 00
Trowbridge, Mrs. F. K.	25 00
Trowbridge, Mrs. George	5 00
Trowbridge, Mrs. J. A.	5 00
van Beuren, Miss M. S.	5 00
van Buren, Miss Emma	5 00
van Buren, Miss H. C.	3 00
Vanderbilt, Mrs. Cornelius	100 00
Vanderhoef, Mrs. G. W.	5 00
Vanderpoel, Mrs. J. E.	10 00
Van Emburgh, Mrs. D. B.	10 00
Van Vleck, Mrs. E. W.	5 00
Vaughan, Mrs. H. W.	3 00
Voorhees, Mrs. F. P.	5 00
Wall, Mrs. T. G.	$10 00
Ward, Mrs. J. S., Jr.	5 00
Watson, Mrs. B. F.	10 00
Watson, Mrs. Walter, Jr.	10 00
Webb, Miss M. T.	2 00
Webb, Mrs. W. S.	50 00
Welch, Mrs. A. M.	5 00
Wendell, Mrs. Burr	5 00
Wheeler, Miss E. M.	10 00
Wheelock, Mrs. W. E.	10 00
White, Mrs. A. L.	10 00
White, Mrs. J. M.	5 00
White, Mrs. J. S.	25 00
White, Mrs. L. D.	5 00
Whitlock, Miss C. P.	2 00
Wilkinson, Miss E. S.	5 00
Wilkinson, Mrs. James	5 00
Willis, Mrs. Edward	10 00
Wilson, Miss A. R.	5 00
Wilson, Miss E. B.	10 00
Wilson, Mrs. H. R.	10 00
Wilson, Mrs. H. S.	10 00
Wilson, Mrs. J. G.	5 00
Wilson, Miss Mabel	10 00
Witherbee, Mrs. F. S.	10 00
Woodward, Mrs. F. F.	5 00
Woolverton, Mrs. W. H.	5 00
Wooster, Mrs. G. H.	10 00
Wright, Mrs. J. Hood	5 00
Wright, Mr. J. Howard	25 00

DONATIONS IN 1900

"A Carpenter"	$1 00
"A Friend"	15 00
"A Friend"	5 00
Aldrich, Mrs. J. H. (for Life Membership)	50 00
Alexander, Mrs. C. B.	25 00
Babcock, Mr. S. D.	100 00
Billings, Miss M. M.	20 00
Brewster, Mrs. Benjamin	100 00
Bulkley, Mrs. L. D.	10 00
Bussing, Mr. J. S.	25 00
Cattell, Miss J. P. (for Tide-over Fund)	5 00
Cockcroft, the Misses (for Choir Music Class)	500 00
Devoe, Mr. F. W.	$20 00
Dillingham, Mrs. F. H.	5 00
Dodge, Mrs. G. E.	50 00
Dodge, Mrs. W. E.	25 00
Dutton, Mrs. E. P.	10 00
Fougera, Messrs. E. & Co.	5 00
Garner, Mrs. Thomas	5 00
Hoffman, the Very Rev. E. A.	25 00
James, Mrs. A. C.	10 00
Jennings, Miss A. B. (for summer clerk)	40 00
"J. V. v. B."	10 00
Kearny, Miss S. I. (for Class work)	20 00

Lawson, Miss A. P.	$25 00
Mills & Gibbs, Messrs.	25 00
Morgan, Mr. J. P.	200 00
Morton, Mrs. L. P.	10 00
Parish, Miss S. D.	25 00
Pell, Mrs. A. D.	10 00
Penfold, Miss	25 00
Reid, Mrs. Whitelaw (for West Side Settlement)	200 00
Sanders, Mrs. H. M.	10 00
Schermerhorn, Mr. F. A.	25 00
Schirmer, Mr. Gustave	10 00
Sloane, Mr. John	10 00
Sloane, Mrs. W. D.	200 00
Shepard, Mrs. E. F. (for Departments)	$2,800 00
Shepard, Mrs. E. F. (for Special Classes)	1,000 00
Shepard, Mrs. E. F. (for Asbury Park Home)	1,000 00
Shepard, Mrs. E. F. (for Fresh Air Fund)	250 00
Sweetser, Miss A. M. (for summer expenses)	5 00
Tiffany & Co., Messrs.	50 00
Van Ingen, Mrs. E. H.	25 00
Vermilye, Messrs., & Co.	50 00
White, Mrs. J. M.	50 00

LIFE MEMBER OF 1900.

Mrs. James Herman Aldrich.

HONORARY MEMBERS OF 1900.

*Dr. Clarence E. Beebe, by vote of Executive Committee.
*Miss Elizabeth G. Cunningham, by vote of Executive Committee.

* Deceased.

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For duties of Active Members, see Articles II. and III. of the Constitution.

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Acker, Miss S. Louise
Adams, Miss Louise D.
Aitken, Miss Helen Jean
Allen, Mrs. F. J.
Allien, Mrs. L. H.
Ambrose, Miss Ida V.
Ambrose, Miss Mary
Arnold, Mrs. Wm. H.
Baldwin, Miss Alice M.
Baldwin, Mrs. F. A.
Ballard, Miss G. B.
Ballin, Miss Bessie
Bangs, Miss E. M.
Bangs, Mrs. Fletcher H.
Bangs, Miss Julia F.
Barker, Miss M. C.
Barker, Miss M. P.
Bassett, Miss Adeline H.
Bassett, Miss Laura W.
Bayne, Miss Virginia Lee
Beattie, Mrs. Matthew
Beebe, Mrs. Clarence E.
Benedict, Miss Anna C.
Benedict, Miss Fannie Louise
Bennet, Mrs. Walter M.
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Birch, Mrs. J. H.
Bliss, Mrs. E. W.
Blodgett, Mrs. F. J.
Bowne, Miss Emma Estelle
Boyd, Miss Annie M.
Brooks, Miss Mary D.
Brown, Mrs. W. N.
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Butterworth, Mrs. George F.
Butterworth, Miss H. A.
Campbell, Mrs. Malcolm
Carpenter, Miss H. K.
Clark, Mrs. Benjamin S.
Clyde, Miss Mabel
Cockcroft, Miss E. V.
Cockcroft, Miss Mary T.
Comstock, Mrs. George C.
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Crane, Mrs. Royal S.
Crary, Mrs. George W.
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Daniels, Mrs. Lorenzo
Davison, Miss E. B.
Dean, Mrs. Bashford
De Angelis, Miss Ada
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Deyo, Miss Juliana D.
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Dorman, Mrs. Richard A.
Du Puy, Miss E. L.
Elliott, Mrs. George L.
Evans, Mrs. Henry
Fessenden, Miss E. C.
Flagg, Mrs. Thomas J.
Floyd, Mrs. William Toel
Forbes, Mrs. Francis
Gorham, Mrs. F. G.
Graham, Mrs. Malcolm
Grant, Mrs. G. M.
Grant, Miss Emma C.
Grant, Miss Edith T.
Graves, Miss Vinnie R.
Gregory, Mrs. James
Griffin, Mrs. E. C.
Guernsey, Mrs. J. R.
Guernsey, Miss Ruth
Hall, Mrs. E. Trowbridge
Hall, Miss Martha J.
Hall, Miss Martha M.
Harris, Mrs. James B.
Hatfield, Mrs. Edwin F.
Hatfield, Miss S. M.
Hays, Miss Lena F.
Hayward, Miss Isabel P.
Hegeman, Mrs. J. R., Jr.
Hill, Mrs. F. T.
Hills, Miss S. B.
Hobbie, Miss Frances L.
Hodgman, Mrs. G. F.
Hodson, Miss G. M.
Holbrook, Miss Grace
Holmes, Mrs. Edwin T.
Hope, Mrs. George H.
Hopkins, Miss Augusta D.
Hoppin, Miss E. P.
Hotchkiss, Mrs. Clark B.
Hubbard, Mrs. Harry
Humphrey, Mrs. W. H.
Ireland, Mrs. F. G.
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Jennings, Miss Anna B.
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King, Mrs. J. Berri
Leeds, Mrs. Harriet E.
Lilienthal, Miss M. E.
Littig, Miss Marion D.
Loomis, Mrs. H. P.
Lyford, Mrs. Wright C.
Lyford, Miss Florence C.
Lyman, Mrs. Robert M., Jr.
McCarter, Mrs. E. C.
McNamee, Miss A. G.
McNamee, Mrs. Richard
Martin, Mrs. W. R. H.
Maxwell, Miss A. S.
Middlebrook, Miss Sarah L.
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Mills, Miss Ruth C.
Montgomery, Miss Alice
Moore, Miss E. V. P.
Moore, Miss S. R.
Northrop, Mrs. Frank
Odell, Miss Emma E.
Otis, Mrs. Wm. K.
Packard, Mrs. C. W.
Perlee, Miss M. L.
Peterson, Miss Florence C.
Phillips, Mrs. C. E. H.
Pickard, Miss Emily B.
Potter, Miss Martha
Pruyn, Miss M. L.
Pruyn, Miss N. K.
Raynor, Miss Mary
Reid, Mrs. Whitelaw
Roberts, Miss M. M.
Rockwood, Mrs. Wm. H.
Rogers, Miss M. L.
Romeyn, Mrs. Charles W.

Sahler, Miss Emma F.
Schettler, Miss E. C.
Schieffelin, Mrs. Wm. Jay
Schley, Miss S. S.
Shepard, Mrs. Elliott F.
Shera, Mrs. J. Fletcher
Sherman, Mrs. Charles E.
Smith, Miss Alice M.
Smith, Miss Emily M.
Smith, Mrs. S. W.
Spaulding, Mrs. E. N.
Spencer, Miss A. Louise
Stebbins, Mrs. Russell
Stimson, Miss M. A.
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Sweetser, Miss J. A.
Swift, Mrs. G. M.
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Talcott, Miss J. D.
Tappenbeck, Mrs. F. W.
Taylor, Mrs. Charles G.
Taylor, Mrs. Horace S.
Thayer, Mrs. H. W.
Thayer, Miss M. E.
Thomas, Mrs. John R.
Thompson, Mrs. Wilfred
Thorp, Miss E. G.
Thurston, Miss J. B.
Turnure, Miss Mary S.
Van Beuren, Miss M. S.
van Buren, Miss Emma
van Buren, Miss Henrietta C.
Vanderhoef, Mrs. G. W.
Van Vleck, Mrs. Edgar W.
Van Wyck, Miss Florence
Vaughan, Mrs. H. W.
Ward, Mrs. J. S., Jr.
Watson, Mrs. B. F.
Webb, Miss M. T.
Weisse, Mrs. F. D.
Welch, Mrs. A. M.
White, Mrs. Alfred L.
Whitlock, Miss C. P.
Wilson, Miss Emily B.
Wilson, Miss Mabel
Wilson, Mrs. James Godfrey
Wilson, Miss Alice R.
Woodward, Mrs. F. F.
Wooster, Mrs. G. H.
Wynkoop, Miss Henrietta

SUSTAINING MEMBERS.

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Andrews, Mrs. Thomas
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Babcock, Miss C. L.
Babcock, Mrs. Paul
Bachman, Mrs. S.
Bangs, Mrs. Francis S.
Bangs, Mrs. L. Bolton
Barbour, Mrs. Wm. D.
Barclay, Mrs. H. A.
Barnes, Mrs. Theodore M.
Barnum, Mrs. Edward T.
Beddall, Mrs. E. F.
Beekman, Miss C. A.
Bell, Mrs. J. C., Jr.
Bement, Miss Harriet
Benedict, Mrs. C. W.

Benedict, Miss Lillian F.
Benedict, Mrs. E. C.
Bird, Mrs. George
Bishop, Mrs. Heber R.
Bissell, Mrs. Arthur
Black, Mrs. Robert C.
Blakeman, Mrs. Birdseye
Bliss, Mrs. W. H.
Blodgett, Mrs. J. Jarrett
Blyth, Mrs. H. A.
Boardman, Miss C. L.
Bonner, Mrs. G. T.
Boorman, Mrs. J. A.
Booth, Mrs. F. A.
Booth, Miss L. D.
Borden, Mrs. M. C. D.
Bowen, Mrs. C. W.
Briddon, Miss Ada
Brookfield, Mrs. Wm.
Brooks, Mrs. Charles H.
Brooks, Mrs. Charles M.
Brooks, Mrs. W. R.
Brower, Mrs. C. De H.
Brown, Miss E. W.
Brown, Mrs. John Crosby
Brown, Miss Marie Vernon
Brown, Mrs. Vernon H.
Brownell, Mrs. Silas B.
Brush, Miss A. F.
Brush, Mrs. Charles Henry
Buckingham, Miss Eva
Bullard, Mrs. W. E.
Bussing, Mrs. John S.
Bussing, Miss Mary
Byers, Mrs. John
Cannon, Mrs. S. T.
Cattell, Miss J. P.
Cattus, Mrs. Fenelon Conrad
Cauldwell, Miss S. L.
Clarke, Miss Grace
Clarke, Mrs. Thomas B.
Cleveland, Miss E. H.
Clews, Mrs. J. H.
Coddington, Mrs. Jefferson
Colgate, Mrs. Bowles
Colgate, Miss Florence
Colt, Mrs. Richard C.
Comey, Mrs. J. F.
Condie, Mrs. James
Cook, Mrs. C. T.
Cook, Mrs. Joseph M.
Cooper, Mrs. C. W.
Cornell, Mrs. John M.
Cotheal, Miss E. H.
Craufurd, Mrs. R. S.
Crosby, Miss M. R.
Crumbie, Mrs. J. F.
Cuyler, Miss E. de G.
Damrosch, Mrs. Walter
Danforth, Mrs. Elliot
Davis, Mrs. Daniel A.
Davison, Mrs. C. B.
Day, Mrs. W. S.
Deland, Mrs. Eugene
Denison, Mrs. C. H.
Dennis, Mrs. James S.
Denny, Mrs. Thomas
Derickson, Mrs. Samuel
Dickinson, Mrs. John
Dobbs, Mrs. Charles G.
Dodd, Mrs. S. C. T.
Dodge, Miss Catherine C.
Dodge, Mrs. Charles C.
Dominick, Mrs. W. Gayer
Dorman, Miss Annie A.
Draper, Miss Lucie H.
Duncan, Mrs. W. Butler
Du Pont, Mrs. H. A.
Dwight, Mrs. E. F.
Dyckman, Mrs. Isaac M.
Dyer, Miss K. J.
Edgar, Mrs. James A.
Elmendorf, Miss M. C.
Fabbri, Mrs. Ernesto G.
Faust, Mrs. John A.
Ferry, Mrs. A. J.

Ferry, Mrs. Theodore S.
Fisher, Miss E. R.
Flagler, Mrs. H. H.
Flint, Miss Anna
Folsom, Miss J. E.
Foote, Mrs. Charles B.
Foote, Mrs. Edw. M.
Fordyce, Mrs. J. A.
Francis, Mrs. Clarence W.
Frelinghuysen, Mrs. G. G.
Galpen, Miss H. C.
Geddes, Mrs. C. P.
Geer, Mrs. Walter
Gillespie, Miss Helen G.
Goodhue, Mrs. C. C.
Goodridge, Mrs. Frederic
Goodwin, Mrs. J. J.
Gordon, Mrs. Hamilton S.
Graef, Mrs. A.
Graham, Miss Mary Douglas
Graham, Mrs. Malcolm
Graham, Mrs. Robert Deen
Greenfield, Mrs. George J.
Greenough, Mrs. John
Greenwood, Miss Mary
Griffin, Mrs. Francis B.
Guimaraés, Mrs. Antonio
Gunther, Mrs. F. W.
Hancy, Mrs. E. J.
Hard, Mrs. Anson W.
Hardenberg, Mrs. Wm. P.
Harper, Mrs. E. B.
Hart, Mrs. George Spencer
Hartshorne, Mrs. Sydney G.
Hatch, Mrs. Daniel B.
Hawk, Mrs. Wm. S.
Hertzel, Miss C. M.
Hollister, Mrs. H. H.
Hornblower, Mrs. W. B.
Hotchkiss, Miss Myra R.
Houghtaling, Mrs. David H.
Howe, Mrs. William P.
Hubbard, Miss Henrietta W.
Huntoon, Mrs. C. F.
Hyde, Mrs. A. Fillmore
Hyde, Miss Elizabeth A.
Hyde, Mrs. E. Francis
Inness, Mrs. George, Jr.
Inslee, Mrs. Samuel
Iredell, Mrs. F. W.
Ireland, Mrs. J. B.
Ivison, Miss Sara B.
Jaffray, Miss
James, Mrs. Arthur C.
Janeway, Mrs. E. G.
Jayne, Miss Alice
Jayne, Mrs. F. A.
Jefferson, Mrs. Chas. E.
Jesup, Mrs. Morris K.
Jewett, Mrs. G. L.
Johnson, Mrs. E. M.
Johnson, Mrs. Francis H.
Johnson, Mrs. I. G.
Johnson, Mrs. Seth W.
Kellogg, Mrs. Charles
Kelsey, Mrs. C. B.
King, Mrs. Percy R.
Kingsley, Mrs. Wm. M.
Kirby, Miss K.
Kittel, Mrs. J. J.
Lambert, Mrs. Wm.
Langdon, Mrs. Woodbury
Ledoux, Mrs. A. R.
Leffingwell, Mrs. C. R.
Lent, Miss Alletta
Lesher, Mrs. Arthur L.
Lewis, Mrs. F. E.
Lewis, Mrs. J. v. B.
Lincoln, Mrs. Rufus P.
Livingston, Mrs. S. Otis
Lockwood, Mrs. G. Roe
Longacre, Mrs. Orleans
Ludlow, Mrs. E. L.
McCook, Mrs. J. J.
McCready, Miss Mary L.
McKewan, Mrs. John P.

McKim, Mrs. Haslett
McLean, Miss Ellen
Macy, Mrs. George H.
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Marvin, Mrs. W. B.
Masters, Mrs. S. W.
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Maxwell, Mrs. W. H.
Mead, Mrs. C. L.
Mead, Miss Katherine
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Moore, Miss Mary Maxwell
Moore, Mrs. W. D.
Morewood, Mrs. A. P.
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Pell, Miss Ella
Pell, Miss Laura
Perry, Mrs. Bertrand J., Jr.
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Poillon, Mrs. J. O.
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Prentice, Mrs. E. Parmalee
Pyle, Mrs. W. S.
Ransom, Mrs. C. C.
Ray, Mrs. Alfred
Read, Miss Mary E.
Reid, Mrs. Whitelaw
Richard, Miss Elvine
Ripley, Mrs. E. H.
Ripley, Miss J. T.
Robert, Mrs. J. Eugene
Roberts, Mrs. W. B.
Robertson, Miss Jessie
Robins, Mrs. Frederick F.
Robinson, Mrs. Douglas, Jr.
Rogers, Mrs. Henry H.
Rogers, Mrs. Noah C.
Romaine, Mrs. B. F.
Sandford, Miss Mariette
Sanger, Mrs. W. C.
Satterlee, Miss Marion
Schieffelin, Mrs. H. M.
Schley, Mrs. W. T.
Schwab, Mrs. G. H.
Schwab, Miss E. O.
Scudder, Mrs. S. D.
Schardlow, Mrs. Joseph
Shaw, Mrs. James K.
Sheffield, Mrs. Archibald
Sheldon, Mrs. Clarence D.
Sheldon, Mrs. James O.
Shrady, Mrs. George F.
Slade, Mrs. George P.
Slade, Miss Mabel
Smith, Mrs. Andrew H.
Smith, Mrs. A. Alex.
Smith, Mrs. Charles Stewart
Smith, Mrs. Elijah P.
Smith, Mrs. Eugene
Smith, Mrs. Fayette
Smith, Mrs. Josephine
Smith, Miss Juliet C.
Smith, Mrs. L. Bayard

Millinery Class-room

Cooking Class-room.

Smith, Mrs. W. Wheeler
Stanton, Mrs. Gerald N.
Stanton, Mrs. L. L.
Starin, Mrs. C. F.
Stetson, Mrs. Francis Lynde
Starr, Mrs. Louis Morris
Stevenson, Mrs. A. L.
Stewart, Mrs. A. M.
Stewart, Miss Mary
Stimson, Mrs. H. C.
Stockwell, Miss Julia H.
Stokes, Miss C. P.
Stokes, Miss O. E. P.
Stone, Mrs. Aneta B.
Stone, Mrs. C. F.
Strebeigh, Mrs. Lefferts
Strong, Mrs. Theron G.
Stuart, Mrs. R. M.
Sturgis, Mrs. Robert
Sweetser, Mrs. J. H.
Talcott, Mrs. James
Talmadge, Mrs. Henry
Terry, Mrs. John T., Jr.
Thorp, Mrs. George W.
Tifft, Mrs. H. N.
Timpson, Mrs. James
Tonnelé, Mrs. John N.
Tonnelé, Mrs. Walter
Townsend, Mrs. John R.
Trowbridge, Mrs. E. D.
Trowbridge, Mrs. George
Underwood, Miss P. L.
Vanderpoel, Mrs. John
Van Emburgh, Mrs. D. B.
Voorhees, Mrs. F. P.
Wall, Mrs. Thomas G.
Wardwell, Mrs. T. F.
Watson, Mrs. Walter, Jr.
Weatherbee, Mrs. E. H.
Webb, Mrs. W. Seward
Weber, Mrs. Edward Yale
Wendell, Mrs. B. R.
Wheeler, Miss Emily M.
Wheelock, Mrs. W. E.
White, Mrs. John Morris
White, Mrs. J. Stuart
White, Mrs. Leonard D.
Wilkinson, Miss E. S.
Wilkinson, Mrs. James
Williams, Mrs. G. P.
Wilson, Mrs. N. R.
Winslow, Mrs. F. D.
Woolverton, Mrs. W. H.
Wright, Mrs. J. Hood

LIFE MEMBERS.

Life members may be constituted by the payment, for that purpose, of $50.00.

Aldrich, Mrs. J. H.
Armour, Mrs. H. O.
Austin, Miss Louisa
Avery, Mr. S. P.
Avery, Mrs. S. P.
Ballard, Miss G. B.
Bangs, Mrs. Fletcher H.
Beach, Miss Helen
Browning, Mrs. J. Hull
Bulkley, Miss H. P.
Bullock, Miss Rhoda
Carnegie, Mr. Andrew
Castree, Miss Louise
Cauldwell, Mrs. E. M.
Cockcroft, Miss M. T.
Coghill, Miss S. A.
Colgate, Miss Florence
Cook, Mrs. F. H.
Cornell, Mrs. J. M.
Corning, Mr. J. J.

Dalley, Mrs. H., Jr.
Dodd, Miss Gertrude
Dodd, Miss Helen
Dodge, Miss Grace H.
Dodge, Mr. Wm. E.
Donaldson, Mrs. J. J.
Dorman, Miss Anne A.
Dorman, Mr. R. A.
Dorman, Mr. Roderick A.
Edwards, Mrs. W. de F.
Ferry, Mrs. T. S.
Fisher, Mr. J. E.
Franklin, Mrs. Ruford
Hammond, Mr. E. A.
Hancy, Mrs. E. J.
Hancy, Miss J. C.
Hard, Mrs. Anson W.
Higgins, Mrs. A. Foster
Holmes, Mrs. E.
Homer, Mrs. C. S., Jr.
Hurd, Mr. C. S.
Ivison, Mrs. Henry
James, Mrs. Walter B.
Jennings, Miss A. B.
Johnson, Mr. C. Sequine
Johnson, Miss Ella F.
Johnson, Mrs. Francis Howe
Johnson, Mrs. Seth W.
Knowles, Mrs. J. H.
Lacy, Miss Anna
Ladd, Mrs. W. W., Jr.
Ledoux, Mrs. A. R.
Lewis, Miss Anna
Lewis, Mrs. J. V. B.
Martin, Mrs. John
McNamee, Miss A. G.
Merrill, Mr. Payson
Moore, Mr. F. C.
Moore, Mrs. F. C.
Morton, Mr. J. L.
Munn, Mrs. J. P.
Packard, Mrs. C. W.
Parker, Mrs. Gilbert
Peterson, Mrs. Wilson
Phillips, Mrs. C. E. H.
Phillips, Mr. W. H.
Potter, Miss Martha
Reade, Mrs. M. G.
Rees, Mrs. A. F.
Rees, Mr. N. J.
Ripley, Mrs. E. H.
Sabin, Mrs. N. H.
Sabin, Miss Ruth Mary
Sherman, Mrs. Charles N.
Sloane, Mr. W. D.
Stimson, Miss M. A.
Stokes, Mrs. A. G. P.
Stokes, Miss C. P.
Stokes, Miss O. E. P.
Stokes, Mr. Thomas
Sturgis, Mrs. Robert
Tappin, Miss
Taylor, Mr. G. C.
Testman, Miss M. E.
Todd, Mrs. R. W.
Tucker, Mrs. J. J.
van Buren, Miss Emma
van Buren, Miss H. C.
Vanderberg, Mr. R. L.
Van Slyck, Mr. G. W.
Van Winkle, Miss Mary
Watson, Mrs. B. F.
Welcher, Mrs. M. P.
Wentz, Mrs. Theodore
White, Mr. Alfred L.
White, Mrs. Alfred L.
White, Mrs. John Morris
Whitin, Mr. Henry
Ziegler, Mrs. W. H.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

Honorary members may be constituted by the payment, for that purpose, of $100.

*Aitken, Mrs. John
Aitken, Mr. John W.
Andrews, Mrs. C. A.
*Astor, Mr. J. J.
*Avery, Miss Ellen Walters
Baker, Mrs. George F.
Bangs, Mrs. Fletcher H.
*Beebe, Dr. Clarence E.
Beebe, Mrs. Clarence E.
*Beebe, Miss Lilian Morris
Black, Mrs. R. C.
*Blakeman, Mr. Birdseye
*Bostwick, Mr. J. A.
Brainerd, Mr. Cephas
Brewster, Mrs. Benjamin
*Brick, Mr. R. A.
*Brick, Mrs. R. A.
Brown, Mr. A. L.
Brown, Mr. J. M.
Brown, Miss L. J.
Burden, Mrs. J. A.
Byers, Mrs. John
Carleton, Mrs. G. W.
Castree, Miss Alice
Castree, Mr. J. W.
*Castree, Mrs. J. W.
*Cauldwell, Mr. William A.
*Churchill, Miss Mary
Cockcroft, Miss E. V.
*Cornell, Mr. J. B.
*Cornell, John Keen
Cornell, Mrs. J. M.
Crane, Mr. W. N.
Crooke, Mr. J. J.
*Cunningham, Miss Elizabeth G.
*Dale, Mrs. Dora Stokes
Dickson, Mrs. J. Bowman
Dodd, Miss Gertrude
Dodd, Miss Helen M.
*Dodd, Mrs. J. M.
Dodge, Mr. C. C.
Dodge, Mr. Norman
Dodge, Mr. William E.
Doheny, Miss Ella
Dorman, Mrs. R. A.
Fabbri, Mrs. Ernesto
*Fabian, Mrs. R. L.
Folsom, Miss I. E.
Gould, Miss Helen M.
Graham, Mrs. Malcolm
Graves, Miss M. E.
Graves, Mrs. Rufus
Hall, Miss Katharine C.
Hammond, Mrs. John H.
Hatch, Mrs. W. T.
Hatfield, Mrs. E. F.
Hill, Mrs. W. W.
Hills, Miss S. B.
Humphrey, Mrs. W. H.
Huntington, Rev. W. R., D.D.
Ivison, Mr. D. B.
Ivison, Mrs. D. B.
Ivison, Miss Sara B.
Jackson, Mrs. J. B.

* Deceased.

Jayne, Mr. F. A.
Jesup, Mr. Morris K.
Johnson, Miss Ella F.
Johnson, Mrs. Francis Howe
Johnson, Miss Louise W.
Johnson, Mrs. Seth W.
Kellogg, Mrs. Charles
*Kennedy, Miss Rachel L.
Keyser, Mr. John H.
Lamont, Mrs. C. A.
Martin, Mr. W. R. H.
McCready, Miss M. L.
Miller, Mrs. J. D.
*Monroe, Mr. Elbert B.
Morison, Mr. J. J.
Morison, Mrs. J. J.
Morris, Mrs. D. H.
Mortimer, Mrs. T. Y.
Moulton, Mrs. F. A.
*Niblo, Mr. William
Norwood, Miss Kate
Perlee, Miss M. L.
*Phelps, Mr. William Walter
Plummer, Mrs. J. F.
Porter, Mrs. Frank
*Potter, Mr. Orlando B.
Potter, Rt. Rev. H. C., D.D.
Pyle, Mrs. J. T.
Rees, Mrs. Hans
Reese, Mrs. M. M.
Ripley, Miss A. V.
*Roberts, Mrs. Caroline D.
Rockefeller, Mrs. William
Rouzeaud, Mme. C. Nilsson
Schieffelin, Mrs. Wm. Jay
Shepard, Mrs. A. D.
*Shepard, Mr. Elliott F.
Shepard, Mrs. Elliott F.
Shepard, Mr. Elliott Fitch
*Shepard, Miss Marguerite
Sibley, Mrs. Hiram W.
Slade, Miss Mabel
Sloan, Mrs. Samuel
Sloane, Mr. W. D
Sloane, Mrs. W. D.
Sloane, Miss Lila V.
*Sloane, Mr. W. D., Jr.
Smith, Mr. W. Wheeler
*Spencer, Mrs. C. L.
Stokes, Miss C. P.
Stokes, Mr. James
*Stokes, Mrs. James
Stokes, Miss O. E. P.
*Stokes, Mrs. Thomas
Stuart, Mrs. R. M.
Suydam, Mrs. James
*Talcott, Mrs. Charlotte L.
Talcott, Mr. James
Talcott, Mrs. James
Taylor, Mrs. G. C.
Thomson, Mrs. Eugene
Tiffany, Mrs. E. S.
*Tilden, Mr. Samuel J.
Trevor, Mrs. J. B.
Uhler, Mrs. M. C.
Vanderbilt, Mrs. Cornelius
Vanderbilt, Mr. George
*Vanderbilt, Mrs. William H.
Van Doren, Mrs. M. D.
Van Emburgh, Mrs. D. B.
Van Wagenen, Mrs. H. W.
White, Mrs. John Morris
*Whitewright, Mr. William
*Willets, Mr. Samuel

* Deceased.

NAME AND ACT OF INCORPORATION.

This Association was incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, April 29, 1873. On March 10, 1876, the name of the Association was changed to "THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK."

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

AN ACT to incorporate the Young Ladies' Christian Association of the City of New York. Passed April 29, 1873.

§ 1. Caroline D. Roberts, Hannah S. Brick, Julia C. Jayne, Henrietta E. Talcott, Margaret L. V. Shepard, Sarah E. Wendell, Stella B. Lee, Kate Oakley, Olivia E. P. Stokes, Sarah B. Hills, Margaret D. Harper, Mary Beach, Louise F. Underhill, Mary L. McCready, Georgiana B. Ballard, Mary A. Aitken, and their associates, are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name of "The Young Ladies' Christian Association of the City of New York."

§ 2. [As amended by Chapter 333 of the Laws of 1897.]

The object of this corporation shall be the improvement of the temporal, social, mental, moral, and religious condition of the young women of the City of New York, particularly of those dependent upon their own exertions for support, by procuring employment and safe boarding-places, by Bible classes, social and religious meetings, libraries and reading-rooms and educational advantages, and such other means and services as may conduce to the accomplishment of this object.

§ 3. [As amended by Chapter 333 of the Laws of 1897.]

This corporation shall hereafter be managed by an executive committee composed of thirty members. Those members of the committee now in office may remain therein for the terms for which they were respectively elected. The additional six members shall be elected at a special meeting called pursuant to the constitution within two months after this Act takes effect, two for the year now current, two for the term of two years, and two for the term of three years from the first Monday of January, 1897, and thereafter ten members of the committee shall be elected on the first Monday of December in each year, to hold office respectively for the term of three years, or until others are elected. The executive committee shall, hereafter, be composed of, and chosen from, persons in communion with Protestant Evangelical churches, and representing at least five denominations, and not more than two-fifths of such

committee shall be members of any one denomination. All vacancies in the executive committee or in the offices of said committee, shall be filled as the constitution and by-laws direct.

§ 4. This corporation may make such a constitution, and the executive committee such by-laws and rules for the regulation of its business, the management of its affairs, the choice, powers, and duties of its officers and agents, as are not inconsistent with its charter and the laws of the State, excepting that the provisions of its constitution declaring that the officers and chairmen of committees shall be elected by the executive committee out of their own number, and that all the members of said executive committee shall be members in good standing of Protestant Evangelical churches, shall not be altered or repealed.

§ 5. [As amended by chapter 333 of the Laws of 1897.]

The body corporate created by this act, shall, with the consent of the advisory board, be capable of taking, by gift, purchase, devise, or bequest, and holding, mortgaging, and conveying any real or personal estate for the benefit of said corporation, but such real and personal estate shall not exceed in value the amount limited by law. The body corporate created by this act, in addition to the powers and rights hereinbefore specified, shall have power to take, subject to the consent of the advisory board, by grant, conveyance, gift, devise, or bequest, any real or personal property to be held in trust by it, to found and maintain professorships, lectureships, courses of instruction, educational classes and scholarships, and for any other specific purpose comprehended in the general objects authorized by this act. Said trust may be created subject to such conditions and visitations as may be prescribed by the grantor or donor, and accepted by the said corporation, and may continue for such time as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes for which they are created. Morris K. Jesup, Howard Potter, Elbert B. Monroe, Jacob F. Wyckoff, James Stokes, Jr., Riley A. Brick, Bowles Colgate, William A. Cauldwell, Ames Van Wart, and Robert R. McBurney are hereby constituted the advisory board, and whenever a vacancy shall occur in said advisory board the same shall be filled by a majority vote of those remaining. All the members of said board shall be communicants in good standing, and representing at least five different Protestant Evangelical denominations, but not more than three shall be members of any one denomination. No trust shall be accepted by this corporation, nor any conveyance, mortgage, or lien be created upon the property owned by this corporation, nor any property be leased or purchased, or any debt exceeding one thousand dollars in amount be created except upon the approval of the advisory board. No intoxicating drinks, or strong or lager beer shall be sold or used, or gambling allowed upon any part of the real estate owned by the corporation. The real estate held by the association shall not be liable for any future debt or obligation of the association, unless the same shall have been contracted with the approval of said advisory board.

§ 6. Upon the acceptance of this charter by the Young Ladies' Christian Association, this act shall take effect and become operative; but persons holding office as members of the executive committee, when this

charter is accepted, shall continue as such until an executive committee is formed and empowered to act in accordance with the provisions of this charter.

§ 7. All devises and bequests to said corporation shall be subject to provisions of an Act entitled "An Act relating to wills," passed April 13, 1860, and the acts amending the same.

Repealing clause, Chapter 377 of the Laws of 1897.

All provisions in the act hereby amended inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

PREAMBLE.

We, the members, desirous of promoting the temporal, social, mental, moral, and religious welfare of Young Women, particularly of such as are dependent upon their own exertions for support, do form ourselves into an Association for this object, and do hereby adopt the following

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.

NAME AND OBJECT.

Section 1. This Society shall be known as "The Young Women's Christian Association of the City of New York."

Sec. 2. The object of the Association shall be to promote the temporal, social, mental, moral, and religious welfare of Young Women, particularly of those dependent upon their own exertions for support, by ways and means to be hereinafter designated.

ARTICLE II.

MEMBERS.

Sec. 1. The members of the Association shall be divided into five classes—viz., Active, Sustaining, Associate, Life, and Honorary.

Sec. 2. Any young woman, married or single, may become an Active Member by the vote of a majority of the Membership Committee, confirmed by the Executive Committee. She must be introduced by an Active Member, and her full name and residence must be presented in writing to the Chairman

of the Membership Committee, signed by the member introducing her. She shall have the right of voting, and shall pay to the Treasurer annually, in advance, a sum not less than One Dollar.

SEC. 3. Those who feel an interest in the objects of the Association, *but are unable to engage in its active work*, may become *Sustaining Members*. They must be introduced by a member of the Association, and their full name and residence must be presented in writing to the Chairman of the Membership Committee, signed by the member introducing them. They shall pay an annual subscription in advance of not less than Five Dollars; and shall have the privilege of attending the Business Meetings of the Association, but shall not be entitled to vote.

SEC. 4. Any self-supporting woman may become an Associate Member by the payment of One Dollar per year, and the furnishing of such reference as may be required.

SEC. 5. Life Membership may be constituted by a Donation of Fifty Dollars—given at any one time.

SEC. 6. Honorary Membership may be constituted by a Donation of One Hundred Dollars—given at any one time.

ARTICLE III.

DUTIES OF ACTIVE MEMBERS.

SEC. 1. It shall be the duty of Active Members to extend the work of the Association—by increasing its membership and by raising funds for the purposes of the Association.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of Active Members to attend the monthly meetings of the Association, assisting in the business of the meetings, and, at the December meeting, electing members of the Executive Committee; also to co-operate with the Executive Committee, in accordance with plans by it presented, in seeking out young women who stand in need of the help of the Association, and becoming personally interested in the welfare of such; in aiding them to procure suitable board-

ing-places and to find employment; to secure their attendance at Church; also at the Bible-Class and religious meetings of the Association; and to invite them to all the social and intellectual advantages offered by the Association.

SEC. 3. Active Members shall hold themselves in readiness to serve regularly upon at least one, and on not more than two, of the Standing Committees; and shall seek to promote, by all possible means, the spiritual prosperity of their own sex.

ARTICLE IV.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

SEC. 1. The Executive Committee shall consist of thirty Active Members of the Association, who shall be communicants in Protestant Evangelical Churches, representing at least five denominations, and no more than two-fifths shall be chosen from any one of said denominations. They shall be elected at the regular meeting of the Association held on the first Monday in December, in conformity with the provision of Section 3d in the Act of Incorporation.

SEC. 2. The Executive Committee shall elect from its own number all Officers of the Association and Chairmen of the Standing Committees. It shall fill all vacancies in its own number, and shall have the general superintendence and control of all the affairs of the Association. It shall have authority to make, adopt, and amend such rules and by-laws as shall by it be deemed expedient for its own government and the government of the Association, not inconsistent with the Constitution.

SEC. 3. Its members shall serve, when needed, on any special work of the Association.

ARTICLE V.

OFFICERS.

SEC. 1. The Officers of the Association shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, an Assistant Treasurer, a Corresponding Secretary, and a Recording Sec-

retary, who shall be elected annually, by ballot from and by the Executive Committee, on the first Thursday in January of each year. Should the first Thursday fall on New Year's Day, then the election of officers shall be held on the Thursday next following.

SEC. 2. Should any of the offices specified in Section 1st of this Article, or any other office hereinafter at any time created, be or become temporarily or permanently vacant, such vacancy may be filled by a three-quarter vote of the members present at any regular meeting of the Executive Committee, provided that a written notice of such proposed election shall have been sent to each member of said Committee, at least ten days previous to said meeting.

ARTICLE VI.

ADVISORY BOARD.

The Advisory Board, as named in Section 5th of the Act of Incorporation, shall have all the powers, and perform all the duties incumbent upon them, in conformity with said Section 5th of the Act of Incorporation.

ARTICLE VII.

MEETINGS.

SEC. 1. The Executive Committee shall hold a meeting each week, from September 1st to July 1st, at such time and place as the By-Laws prescribe. Seven members shall constitute a quorum. It shall meet at the call of the President during July and August.

SEC. 2. There shall be a Meeting of the Association to promote Christian and social intercourse, and to advance the interests of the Association, on the first Monday of each month, from October to May inclusive. At this meeting reports shall be presented from the several Committees, the Recording Secretary and Treasurer. Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

Sec. 3. At the regular meeting of the Association on the first Monday in December, there shall be an election of ten members of the Executive Committee (as provided in Section 3d of the Act of Incorporation), and every Active Member of the Association shall receive written or printed notice of this meeting and of the said election.

Sec. 4. There shall be an Annual Meeting of the Association on the first Monday of February, at which the Annual Statistics, and Reports of the Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer shall be presented, and such other business as may be ordered by the Executive Committee.

Sec. 5. All Meetings of the Association shall be opened and closed with devotional exercises.

ARTICLE VIII.

COMMITTEES.

Sec. 1. No Standing or Special Committees shall contract any money indebtedness without a previous appropriation from the Executive Committee.

Sec. 2. The powers and duties of the several Standing Committees shall be defined and limited in the By-Laws of the Association.

ARTICLE IX.

AMENDMENTS.

Sec. 1. This Constitution may be amended at any Annual Meeting of the Association, by a two-thirds vote of the Active Members then present, provided notice of the proposed amendments shall have been given at a previous regular meeting, and provided, also, that such proposed amendments shall have been approved by a majority of the Executive Committee at a regular meeting (a written notice of such proposed amendments having been given to each member of the Executive Committee at least ten days previous thereto) held at least one month previous to the meeting of the Association when such amendments are acted on.

Sec. 2. Amendments may be proposed at any regular meeting of the Executive Committee. If at a regular meeting not earlier than one month thereafter, such amendments be approved by a majority of all the members of the Committee, they shall be reported to the next regular meeting of the Association, and a vote may be taken upon them at the next succeeding regular meeting, when they may be adopted by a vote of two-thirds of the Active Members then present.

Sec. 3. But Article II. and Article IV. shall not be altered nor amended without the consent of five-sixths of all the members of the Executive Committee, signified by vote at a regular meeting, and written notice of such proposed alteration or amendment shall be given to each member of the Committee, at least ten days prior to the meeting when such vote is taken.

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

SECTION 1. The Executive Committee shall meet on Thursdays at 10.30 o'clock A.M., at such place as it shall appoint.

SEC. 2. The order of business shall be as follows:

1. Calling the roll.
2. Prayer.
3. Reading the minutes of the preceding meeting.
4. Unfinished business.
5. Presentation and approval of bills, reading of letters, etc.
6. Proposal of new members.
7. Reports and recommendations of Committees.
8. Miscellaneous business.

SEC. 3. In case of the absence of the President and all Vice-Presidents from any meeting of the Executive Committee or of the Association, the Executive Committee shall choose from its own number a member who shall preside at said meeting.

SEC. 4. Any member of the Executive Committee changing her denominational connection shall be deemed to have resigned, and the vacancy so created shall be filled by the said Committee.

SEC. 5. Any member of the Executive Committee absenting herself for one month from the meetings of said Committee, without presenting reasonable excuse to the President and obtaining leave of absence, shall be considered as having resigned therefrom and shall be notified accordingly.

SEC. 6. The Executive Committee shall have power to in-

vite to its meetings, for a specified length of time and for a special purpose, the assistant Chairman of any Standing Committee, the Chairman of any Special Committee, or any former member of the Executive Committee; but the person thus attending shall not be entitled to vote.

SEC. 7. The Executive Committee shall hear and consider the recommendations of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees in regard to the employment of teachers, clerks, or other officials or assistants, also in regard to all disbursements for salaries or other expenses, authorizing the same if approved and making due appropriation; and such approval and appropriation shall be necessary before any official or assistant is engaged or any expense incurred.

SEC. 8. The Executive Committee shall consider all matter which is written for publication or circulation on behalf of the Association by any member or official of the Association as such, endorsing the same if approved; and such approval shall be necessary before such publication or circulation.

SEC. 9. The Executive Committee shall have power to withhold any or all of the privileges of the Association from any woman concerning whom it shall have satisfactory evidence that she is unworthy such privileges, or from any woman who wilfully disobeys the rules, or from any woman who is known to be exerting an influence contrary to the spirit and aims of the Young Women's Christian Association.

ARTICLE II.

THE DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

SEC. 1. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, and she shall have the casting vote; also to call special meetings of the Executive Committee at the written request of not less than three of its members. The President shall appoint all special committees, and shall be a member *ex-officio* of all the Standing Committes.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the First Vice-President to

act for the President, and to preside at all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, in the absence of the President.

SEC. 3. In case of the inability of the First Vice-President to act for the President, it shall be her duty to see that the Second or Third Vice-President is requested to act for her.

DUTIES OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee; to conduct the correspondence, filing and preserving all important letters, and retaining copies of all important letters written by her; to prepare the Annual Report of the Association, under the direction of the Executive Committee; and to notify members of their election by the Executive Committee to any office or to the membership of said Committee, or of any Special Committee appointed by the President.

DUTIES OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the Recording Secretary to take the minutes of all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, preserving them in permanent form, and to notify Active and Sustaining Members of their election.

DUTIES OF THE TREASURER.

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all funds for the Association, to give receipts for the same, and to deposit them in a bank designated by the Executive Committee.

She shall keep a strict record and account of all subscriptions, donations, receipts and expenditures, presenting a report of the same to the Association at each monthly meeting, and preparing an Annual Report for publication.

She shall keep the name and residence of each subscriber and donor, and shall inform the Chairman of the Membership

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Committee of any change in the same. She shall also notify new members of their annual dues.

She shall pay, by her check as Treasurer, all sums appropriated by the Executive Committee, upon presentation of bills approved and endorsed by the Auditing Committee.

The Treasurer may be assisted and represented in any or all of the duties of her office by the Assistant-Treasurer, as provided in Section 7th of this Article.

SEC. 7. The Assistant-Treasurer shall, under the direction of the Treasurer, assist in any or all of the duties of the office of Treasurer, as described in Section 6th of this Article; shall [illegible] the Treasurer, at the request of the Treasurer, ap- [illegible] the Executive Committee, or at the request of the [illegible] Committee alone, and when thus authorized may [illegible] any or all of the duties of the Treasurer, as specified in Section 6th of this Article and subject to the conditions therein provided.

SEC. 8. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary, the Recording Secretary, the Treasurer, and the Assistant-Treasurer promptly to notify the Executive Committee of any intended absence, and to request the appointment of a substitute to perform the duties of their respective offices during such absence.

ARTICLE III.

GIFTS OF MONEY.

All money for the Association should be enclosed in an envelope and given to the Treasurer or Assistant-Treasurer, with a written statement of the amount, the full name and address of the donor, the name of the person through whom it is received, and whether it be a Donation or an Annual Subscription.

ARTICLE IV.

NEW MEMBERS.

Any member presenting a Candidate for Active Membership shall obtain her signature to the Membership form, and

shall send the form, when filled out, to the Chairman of the Membership Committee.

ARTICLE V.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

SEC. 1. Each Standing Committee shall be composed of Active Members of the Association, with a Chairman chosen from and by the Executive Committee. The title and work of each Standing Committee shall be determined by the Executive Committee.

SEC. 2. All Standing Committees shall be limited in membership, the number of members to be decided by their respective Chairmen.

SEC. 3. The Chairmen of Standing Committees shall present all important business for the consideration of the Executive Committee; they shall obtain its approval before publishing or circulating any reading matter on behalf of the Association or any department thereof; they shall select and engage all assistants necessary for their work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, and shall secure its approval and due appropriation before incurring any obligation for salaries or other expenditures.

SEC. 4. Any Chairman, in case of intended absence of one month or more, shall request the Executive Committee to appoint a substitute to act in her place.

SEC. 5. Any officer, except the Chairman, required by any Committee shall be elected by that Committee upon the nomination of the Chairman.

SEC. 6. The Standing Committees shall make their own Rules and By-Laws, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, and shall appoint their respective times and places of meeting.

SEC. 7. In the absence of any special provision one-fourth of the members of any Standing Committee shall constitute a quorum. In the absence of a quorum five members may transact business, subject to the approval of the next regular meeting of the Committee.

ARTICLE VI.

ATTENDANCE UPON MEETINGS.

SEC. 1. Active Members will be notified of regular meetings of the Association.

SEC. 2. Any member absenting herself for two months from the meetings and the work of her Committee, without presenting a reasonable excuse to the Chairman and obtaining leave of absence, may be considered as having resigned therefrom, and shall be notified accordingly.

SEC. 3. Any Chairman may request the Executive Committee to grant leave of absence, not exceeding six months, to any member of her Committee who purposes to resume her work at the end of that time.

ARTICLE VII.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall be appointed by the Executive Committee and shall be composed of nine members, four from the Executive Committee and five from the Association.

It shall receive all names presented for Membership, and shall recommend to the Executive Committee for acceptance such names as the Membership Committee approves.

It shall also keep a full and complete record of all the Active, Sustaining, Associate, Life, and Honorary Members of the Association, for ready reference by the Association.

It shall be the duty of each member of this Committee to inform herself thoroughly of the work of the Association in general, and of the special work of the respective Committees.

It shall be the duty of the members of this Committee to meet all candidates for Active Membership and explain to them the objects and aims of the Association, and the work of the different departments thereof.

Four members shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VIII.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND ENTERTAINMENTS.

This Committee shall have charge and control of all social and educational advantages offered by the Association to self-supporting women.

It shall have the management of Lectures and Entertainments, and shall organize and superintend all Classes, and shall select and engage all teachers, clerks, and other assistants necessary for its work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE IX.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge and control of a Free Circulating Library for the use of self-supporting women.

It shall also have charge and control of a Free Reference Library and a Free Reading Room for the use of women, and shall provide for the proper care, arrangement, and increase of all these departments, selecting and engaging Librarians and other necessary assistants, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE X.

EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge and control of receiving and placing all women who apply for employment.

It shall become acquainted with and take personal interest in all such applicants, and continue this interest as long as practicable; shall obtain their references, both in regard to character and capacity; shall give such counsel and advice as may be needed, and shall seek by every means to find suitable employment for all deserving women who may present themselves.

It shall select and engage all necessary clerks and assistants for its work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XI.

NEEDLE-WORK COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge of all orders for sewing and fancy-work received at the Association, and also of all articles brought to the Association to be sold.

It shall engage all clerks and assistants necessary for its work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XII.

BOARD DIRECTORY COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge of receiving all women who apply for board or furnished rooms in the city; also those who apply for admission to the Summer Homes of the Association. It shall require satisfactory references from all applicants.

It shall endeavor to find comfortable homes in Christian families for young women, securing satisfactory references as to the character of each family, and as thorough a knowledge of each home as is possible through personal visitation.

It shall interest itself in all who apply at the Directory, giving such advice and guidance as may be necessary.

It shall engage all necessary clerks and assistants for its work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XIII.

HOUSE COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge of the building No. 7 East 15th Street, and shall, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, engage the janitor, engineers, and other assistants necessary for the proper care and service of the building. It shall disburse all moneys received from the Treasurer for wages and supplies, and shall superintend such repairs, alterations, and furnishing as the Executive Committee shall authorize.

ARTICLE XIV.

MARGARET LOUISA HOME COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge of all matters connected with the Home and Restaurant. It shall engage a Superintendent for the Home and Manager for the Restaurant, with such assistants as may be necessary, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XV.

THE WEST SIDE SETTLEMENT COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge and control of all matters connected with the work of the West Side Settlement of this Association established at 458 West 44th Street, engaging the Superintendent and such assistants as may be necessary, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XVI.

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall be composed of at least eight members chosen by the Executive Committee, three of whom shall be members of the Executive Committee. It shall keep an account of all appropriations made by the Executive Committee, and shall duly approve all just bills, endorsing them for payment by the Treasurer. This Committee shall audit the Treasurer's books and accounts on the first Wednesday of every second month, beginning with November. This Committee shall provide for the auditing of the accounts of each department, which shall be audited at least twice a year by an auditor of the department and a member of the Auditing Committee.

ARTICLE XVII.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have full knowledge of the state of the Treasury from month to month. It shall devise and

recommend plans for raising money, and shall endeavor to keep the resources of the Treasury equal to the demands of the work.

It shall lay before the Executive Committee, in February of each year, a financial statement comprehending a general view of the Treasury, its income and expenditure, and estimates for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE XVIII.

THE RELIEF COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge and control of the personal relief and assistance of all sick and needy women, and of the Fresh Air and Travelers' Aid Work. It shall hold and disburse all funds contributed for these purposes. It shall engage all necessary clerks and assistants, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XIX.

AMENDMENTS.

These By-Laws may be amended by a three-quarters vote of the members present at any regular meeting of the Executive Committee, provided notice of such amendment be sent to each member of said Committee ten days previous to said meeting.

BY-LAWS OF THE ADVISORY BOARD.

ARTICLE I.

SECTION 1. The Advisory Board shall meet on the Thursday preceding the second Monday in January in each year, and at such other times as meetings may be called by the Chairman or by two members of the Board, of which three days' notice shall be given in writing.

SEC. 2. At all meetings of the Board five members shall constitute a quorum.

SEC. 3. The order of business at all meetings shall be:

1. Calling the roll.
2. Prayer.
3. Reading the minutes of the preceding meeting.
4. Election, if any.
5. Unfinished business.
6. Miscellaneous business.

ARTICLE II.

SEC. 1. The officers of the Board shall be a Chairman and a Secretary, who shall be members of the Board and shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting, and shall hold office until the election of their successors.

SEC. 2. Their duties shall be such as usually pertain to these offices. In the absence of the Chairman, a Chairman *pro tem.* shall be appointed by the Board.

ARTICLE III.

These By-Laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at an annual meeting.

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